

JAPS CARRY
2 FORTS AT
PORT ARTHUR

General Assault Renewed This Morning Against Fortifications North of Besieged City With Marked Success—No Details of Battle.

GEN. STOESSSEL'S FORCE
HOLDING OUT BRAVELY

Desperate Battle Marked First Day of General Assault in Hopes of Driving Russians From the Stronghold in the East.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 20.—The general attack on Port Arthur which began yesterday and in which the Japanese fleet is co-operating was resumed this morning.

The Japanese captured two important forts on either side of Suetszeing, north of Port Arthur.

The messenger information received indicates that the fighting today was of desperate character, as was that of yesterday.

The general attack made by all Japanese batteries, both on land and sea and by troops wherever an objective point could be reached without interfering with the artillery, had been expected for more than a week.

It was first planned for Thursday and delayed to allow a rearrangement of the troops.

Yesterday's attack began at daybreak and continued until dark.

No definite statement of the losses is made beyond the fact that they are known to be heavy.

Several forts were assaulted at the same time and the fighting must have been of a desperate character.

It is not known here that the Japanese succeeded in carrying any additional fortifications in the first day's fighting.

Reports received from Port Arthur lately indicate that the greatly reduced garrison is in sore straits, but they are fighting desperately.

In official messages from Gen. Stoessel, dated Sept. 16, the garrison was reported in excellent spirits after repulsing the Japanese in an attack upon a water front fort.

It is easily to be seen from the attacking lines that many shells are falling in the city.

Although the Japanese retired Aug. 31 along the greater part of their line, they remained in four supplementary forts on the northeast front, which they had captured from the Russians. These include two forts 50 yards from Rihlung mountain and two others at a somewhat greater distance.

Since Aug. 21 the Japanese have bombarded very slightly, while the Russians have been throwing approximately 1000 shells daily, chiefly against the four Japanese positions mentioned.

Small sorties, as referred to by the Novik-Krai of Port Arthur, in the efforts to recapture the positions, have been of almost nightly occurrence and have been uniformly unsuccessful.

LOST ENTIRE REGIMENT.

The Japanese have been taught wholesome respect for the resisting power of the fortress, according to every Japanese who has recently arrived here from Port Dalny. If they succeeded in capturing Rihlung mountain or other forts they will realize that this will be only one step, although an important one, toward the capture of Port Arthur.

During the fighting in August the attempt to capture Kikwan mountain cost the Japanese an entire regiment. This statement has been absolutely confirmed and indicates the monumental proportions of the task which the Japanese have set themselves in attempting to capture the fortress, which is composed of many forts equally strong.

SEEK TO CAPTURE TOWN.

This is the attack for which the Japanese have been preparing for the past 19 days, with slight hope of success. The Japanese attack on Port Arthur is directed against the north front.

The main object is to capture the fortifications on Kikwan mountain, Rihlung mountain and the intermediate forts. The foregoing comes from a Russian of standing whose previous information has been correct.

He adds that the attack at the end of August, which was represented as two separate assaults, really constituted a ten-days' battle, the fighting being the heaviest during the first three days and the last four days of that period.

FUMES OF GAS
TAKE LIFE FAR
BELOW EARTH

One Man Killed and Five Injured in Carondelet When Subterranean Chamber Is Flooded With Gas Escaping From Sudden Leak.

THE DEAD.

PATRICK CAULFIELD, 46 years, married.

JOHN WALSH, 25 years, married, 2321A Howard street.

GEORGE CYTES, 31 years, married, 315 Town avenue.

WILLIAM ORTHMAN, 44 years, single, 2654 Shenandoah avenue.

SERIOUSLY HURT.

WILLIAM WALSH, 32 years, 215 Marquette street.

JOHN RONOHOLE, 1810 1/2 North Jefferson avenue.

One man was killed, three rendered unconscious and two seriously injured by gas flooding a manhole in the rear of 839 Water street Tuesday afternoon.

The men were repairing the walls of the manhole under the direction of Foreman John R. Walsh when the chamber became suddenly filled with poisonous gases.

Walsh ordered the men up the slender ladder on which they had descended, but the command came too late. Patrick Caulfield sank to the bottom of the manhole unconscious. In attempting to carry him to daylight and fresh air two of his companions fell back exhausted.

They had meanwhile been struggling at the bottom of the ladder interfering with the exit of the foreman and the two remaining workmen.

The delay gave the gas additional time to work on the helpless men and soon all six lay unconscious in the mire.

Their shouts had been heard by rescue party and descended with ropes about their waists. On a time they brought five of the men to the surface.

The body of Caulfield, the sixth victim, was not recovered for some time after the accident. It was then reached only through the assistance of hook and ladder truck No. 7.

WAGERED LIFE;
LOST, AND PAID

Peru, Ind., Man Is Prompt in Satisfying Gambling Compact at Sedalia, Mo.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 20.—Charles E. Bliss, alias Barlow, a painter supposed to be from Peru, Ind., committed suicide with carbolic acid last midnight while despondent.

Earlier in the evening he played a game of cards with "Ted" Moore, the stake being his life against hers, as was testified at the inquest today.

Bliss lost, and an hour later swallowed the drug, while in the rear of a saloon directly with companions.

The father of the dead man is a minister of the Seventh Day Adventist denomination and resides at 540 West Main street, Peru, Ind.

MORE DAMPNESS AND CHILLS

Change in Weather Which Came in With Week Proves Staying Qualities.

More rain and still cooler weather: The cool wave that struck St. Louis Sunday is having a telling effect and its end is not yet in sight.

The official forecast: "Showers this afternoon or tonight; Wednesday fair and cooler."

The central valley storm has moved to the lower lakes and the upper St. Lawrence valley. From Kansas, Oklahoma and northern Texas it was accompanied by a heavy rainfall.

Fair weather prevails over the Gulf and south Atlantic states, while the northwestern high barometer has developed increased intensity and moved northeastward, reaching its crest in North Dakota.

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PROSTRATED BY
MYSTERIOUS
INSECT'S BITE

John Diesch Suffering From Dangerous Case of Blood Poisoning at South St. Louis Home, Result of Sting Received While Asleep.

PHYSICIANS SAY HIS
CASE IS REMARKABLE

Did Not Awaken When Bitten, But Grew Violently Ill Several Hours Later—May Yet Lose Limb as a Result.

Is it a spider, a hemiptera, a centipede or some other member of the insect tribe that is striking terror into workers on the government boats that repair the caving banks of the Mississippi river?

This is the question that John Diesch is asking as he lies at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jacob Luewinger of 2833 Noeshe street, suffering from blood poisoning that has come as the result of a bite by this strange insect.

Diesch was employed at Wagner's Landing, Ill., with a crew of men who were facing the river bank with stone. He slept on the "quarters boat" attached to the General Abbott.

One morning two weeks ago he awoke with a slight tingling in his knee, but paid no attention to it until noon, when he found that his knee was slightly swollen. He worked on for an hour and a half until he could not walk and had to be carried back to the boat.

On examination a small puncture was found exactly in the center of his kneecap, while the flesh about it was badly swollen and inflamed.

Steward Williams, in charge of the "quarters boat," declared that the swelling looked like it had been caused by the bite of a spider such as had bitten him a few days before. It was a black, hairy spider, Williams said, and his arm had swollen although he had applied a remedy at once.

On his advice Diesch was treated with a flaxseed poultice, and for a week and four days lay in bed without being treated by a physician. No home stop was Wagner's Landing and no government tug came up the river before the General Abbott.

Arriving in St. Louis, Diesch was taken to his sister's home, and Dr. Arthur E. Schnell of 452 South Broadway was called in to examine the case. He pronounced Diesch was suffering from blood poisoning, but beyond Diesch's statement that a bug had bitten him, the physician knew nothing of the cause.

Diesch has been under treatment for a week, but the swelling continues and the wound is still open.

There is a spider in the woods of Southern Illinois whose bite is poisonous, but Diesch did not see what had bitten him. He clings to the spider theory on the statement of Steward Williams and others of the boat's crew, many of whom had been bitten by some poisonous insect during their work in that section.

"Diesch's case is a peculiar one," said Dr. Schnell, in that he was bitten, so far as I can learn, while asleep. The bite did not wake him nor did he notice it until six or eight hours afterward.

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John Diesch, Insects, One of Which Bit
Him—Diagram Showing His WoundPOLICE OFFICIAL TELLS WHY HE HOLDS
THAT BECK WAS SLAYER OF SCHEEL
BY JOHN J. KEELY,
Assistant Chief of Detectives.

Beck was a "bulldozer." Before any blows were struck he went home and got his gun and then went back to the polling place, looking for trouble. He began questioning everybody who came into the place, disputing their right to register.

He got into an argument with several men. He says that one of the men struck him at the door of the polling place, but the other judges and clerks contradicted him in this.

He went out into the street and drew his gun and shouted to the crowd: "Stand back, or I'll shoot."

Then he started on a run, with his gun in his hand, over Fourteenth street to Locust, and west on Locust.

There were several shots fired, and Scheel fell dead from a stray bullet. I am sure that Beck fired and that the shots were returned by members of the crowd. Who fired the shot that killed Scheel I do not know.

When I say I am sure that Beck fired, I base my belief on his threats outside the polling place and the evidence of Fred Post, who says he saw Beck fire.

FAREWELLS SPOKEN TO
GIRL WHO WILL CROSS
SEA TO WED SOLDIER

For Five Years' of Separation, Young Woman and Philippine Lieutenant Have Cherished Impressions Made in Meeting at Jefferson Barracks.

Poets who have lamented the inconstancy of womankind could not have had the heart to write verses about the young woman, Miss Mae Schottmuller, of 2243 South Jefferson avenue, who will leave St. Louis Wednesday evening for the Philippines to become a soldier's bride.

For five years Miss Schottmuller has put aside all thought of young men in general and of one in particular, Lieut. Robert L. Moseley of the Twentieth Philippine Scouts, whom she met six years ago at Jefferson Barracks, where he was then stationed with the Sixteenth Infantry.

Fresh from the Cuban campaign there were many things about the young veteran which might turn a girl's heart toward him, but for a pretty girl of 18 to hold closely the image thus gained through the years of dances, receptions and festivities is remarkable, especially when the object of her regard was 10,000 miles away.

During part of this time no definite engagement existed between Lieut. Moseley and Miss Schottmuller, but there was a feeling lurking deep in the heart of each that bound them together in a tightening coil. As George Ade says, they were engaged in a sort of way.

Cupid was not idle during these years, for he laid aside his bow and quiver for the work of taking up a more subtle weapon, and one that could not be thrown away. He settled the details by arranging for Miss Schottmuller's voyage on the trans-Pacific, and all they had to do then was to wait. Thirty-six days is not a long time when six years are considered, and in five weeks a marriage will take place in the village church of Pilar Sogon that will escape all previous wedding notices of Filipinos, and of former governors of the province.

And the bride-to-be regrets only that she cannot repay her friends for the linen, cut glass and other gifts they have showered upon her by an invitation to the wedding.

A guest at the Inside Inn who wrote a letter home and then dropped the mislaid in a nearby fire alarm box, upset the serenity of the Fair and particularly the Inside Inn Tuesday noon.

The regular department, Hale's Fire Fighters, an ambulance and a brigade of policemen swooped down about his ears in a twinkling. Word soon spread about the grounds that the Inn was afire, and thousands hurried thither to view fireworks not down on the official program.

The department found nothing upon arriving, save an open call box, in which reposed the fabled letter. Its author did not claim it.

A man who signs himself as "Hildebrand, Agent," has been collecting money for advertisements in the POST-DISPATCH. We have no such agent.

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POSITION OF SCHEEL
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Inquest Begun This Afternoon Is to Be Followed by Grand Jury Inquiry—Friends of Accused Stand by Him

SAYS DETECTIVE WAS
ONE OF HIS PURSUERS

Men Who Illegally Registered From the Jefferson Hotel, Some of Whom Caused the Fatal Fight, Have Not Yet Been Arrested.

Men Who Registered From Jefferson Hotel
and Who Are Not Known There

J. J. BROWN, JOHN CARROLL, JOHN MYER, LOUIS NASE, HARRY SAUNDERS, JAMES COOK, J. J. CARR, HARRY MICHAELS, JOHN J. QUINN, JOHN WALKER.

Men registered under the above names in the polling place where the fight which resulted in Scheel's death began, and it is charged by Beck that some of them started the fight. Manager Lyman T. Hay of the Jefferson says they are not known there.

AUTOPSY STRENGTHENS POLICE IN
BELIEF THAT BECK SLEW SCHEEL

The report of Dr. R. B. H. Gradwohl, who completed a postmortem examination of the body of Fred Scheel Tuesday afternoon, states:

"The bullet which caused death entered the right arm at the junction of the third and fourth ribs, ranged to left in right of chest and then passed downward through the heart."

This indicates, the police say, that the bullet which struck Scheel, who was facing southward, must have been fired at a point west of where he was standing. The shot could not have been fired from the east, the police contend.

In his statement to the police Oliver J. Beck says he was running west and looked back when the shot was fired. The men following him were east of the law school while he was passing the law school building when the first shot sounded.

Combining these details, the police say, they consider the case against Beck strengthened.

Inquiry into the case of Frederick E. Scheel, the young postgraduate student of the St. Louis Law School, who was shot and killed in front of the law school building while several men were pursuing Oliver J. Beck, a Republican judge of election as the result of a fight at the registration booth at 501 North Fourteenth street, was begun by Coroner Funkhouser at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

While the inquest was in progress, Oliver J. Beck, who is accused by the police of having fired the fatal shot, directed the attention of his attorney, Joseph D. Howe, to a man sitting among the witnesses.

"He is one of those who was in the crowd that followed me," said Beck. "The man pointed out is Detective Cosgrove. Cosgrove, when informed of the statement made by Beck, laughed and turned away. When pressed for an answer, he merely said he had nothing to say."

Mr. Howe asked Beck whether Cosgrove had fired any shots. Beck answered that he did not think so, but that he was sure Cosgrove was one of the pursuers.

As told in late editions of Monday's Post-Dispatch, Scheel was standing near the gate of the iron fence surrounding the law school when he was shot, death resulting almost instantly.

The theory of Assistant Chief of Detectives Keely, who is in charge of the case for the police, is that Scheel was killed by Beck, who was arrested soon after the shooting at his boarding house, 1527 Washington avenue, and lodged in a cell at the Four Courts building.

The theory is based largely on the statement of Fred Post, manager of the St. Louis Furniture Exchange, who, according to the police, says he saw Beck raise his revolver and fire and that, almost simultaneously, young Scheel staggered and fell.

Beck denies that he used his revolver, but admits having it on his person at the time. He declares the men who pursued him discharged several shots and it must have been one of these that struck Scheel.

Only one bullet struck Scheel, passing through the heart. The bullet, extracted by Dr. Gradwohl, the coroner's autopsy physician, is 28 caliber. This is the caliber of the revolver which Beck admits having carried in the morning.

While he denies having carried it in the afternoon and insists he carried another of 41 caliber, the police do not believe he exchanged weapons. Both revolvers were found at his boarding house some time after he was arrested.

There were three empty cartridges in the 28-caliber one. Beck says he fired the shot on the fourth of July. The other shots on the fourth of July. The other shots on the fourth of July. The other shots on the fourth of July.

"When they insisted they lived at the Jefferson Hotel I offered to go to the hotel with them, saying if that was their address there would be no trouble and very little delay in verifying it."

"That displeased them and seeing there was going to be trouble I stepped out of the polling booth and hurried to my boarding house on Washington avenue, where I got my revolver."

"I had two revolvers, but took the larger size with me, leaving the other on my dresser. The large one was loaded. When I returned to the polling booth the men were still there angrier than ever and determined to make trouble for me. Finally I got outside of the booth and they came after me."

"One man, whose face bore several scars, struck me and then ran into the street. Another pulled a revolver out of his inside coat pocket, and as he did so I started to run away. I went south on Fourteenth to Locust street, and then west, and just as I was passing the law school I heard a shot fired. I turned, and looking over my shoulder saw that the shot came from one of the men directly behind me. Then another shot sounded, and probably ten shots were fired before I reached Fifteenth street."

"I kept on running until I reached my boarding house in Washington avenue, and

revolver was loaded. The three when two months ago, is a pretty point for experts in such matters. Of course, Beck's pursuers, whose shots he says killed Scheel, may have carried 28-caliber revolvers. It is a common size.

Besides Mr. Post's statement, the police point to certain circumstances to indicate the correctness of their theory.

gave my revolver to Mrs. Krigbaum and told her to put it away for me. The revolver was not the one I carried with me during the fight. I did not fire a shot at any time.

"The smaller-sized revolver I had with me during the morning and loaned it to a man named Patterson who was in the polling booth. Patterson tried to shoot at some target, but said the revolver wouldn't work. When I went home to lunch I put the small revolver under my dresser and had no weapon with me when I came back to the polling booth."

Claude Hill, a bootblack, says Beck did not fire a shot, but that he saw several men in the crowd which was pursuing him fire several shots toward Beck. Linsie Kense, a newboy of 1317 Washington avenue, says that when the police appeared the men who had been firing concealed their weapons and ran towards Beck, calling him to stop, thus diverting the attention of the officers.

When young Scheel was killed he was standing directly in front of the law school gate, and the police say he was facing southward. The police say he stopped upon seeing the men come up the street.

Beck, after turning the corner at Fourteenth street, was the same course, but at no time, the police say, were they within 20 feet of him. When the fatal shot was fired, the police say, Beck was close to Scheel—probably not more than 15 feet away—but Beck denies this.

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When questioned in regard to the statement he made to the police Monday night, he said that he was so excited after his arrest that he did not remember just what he did say.

Scheel's home was in Belleville, Ill. He graduated from the St. Louis Law School in 1902.

He was to have taken the examination before the supreme court of Illinois next month for admission to the bar of that state. He was 34 years old and a son of Dr. Adolph M. Scheel, a prominent physician of Belleville. His body was sent home today. The funeral will be Thursday.

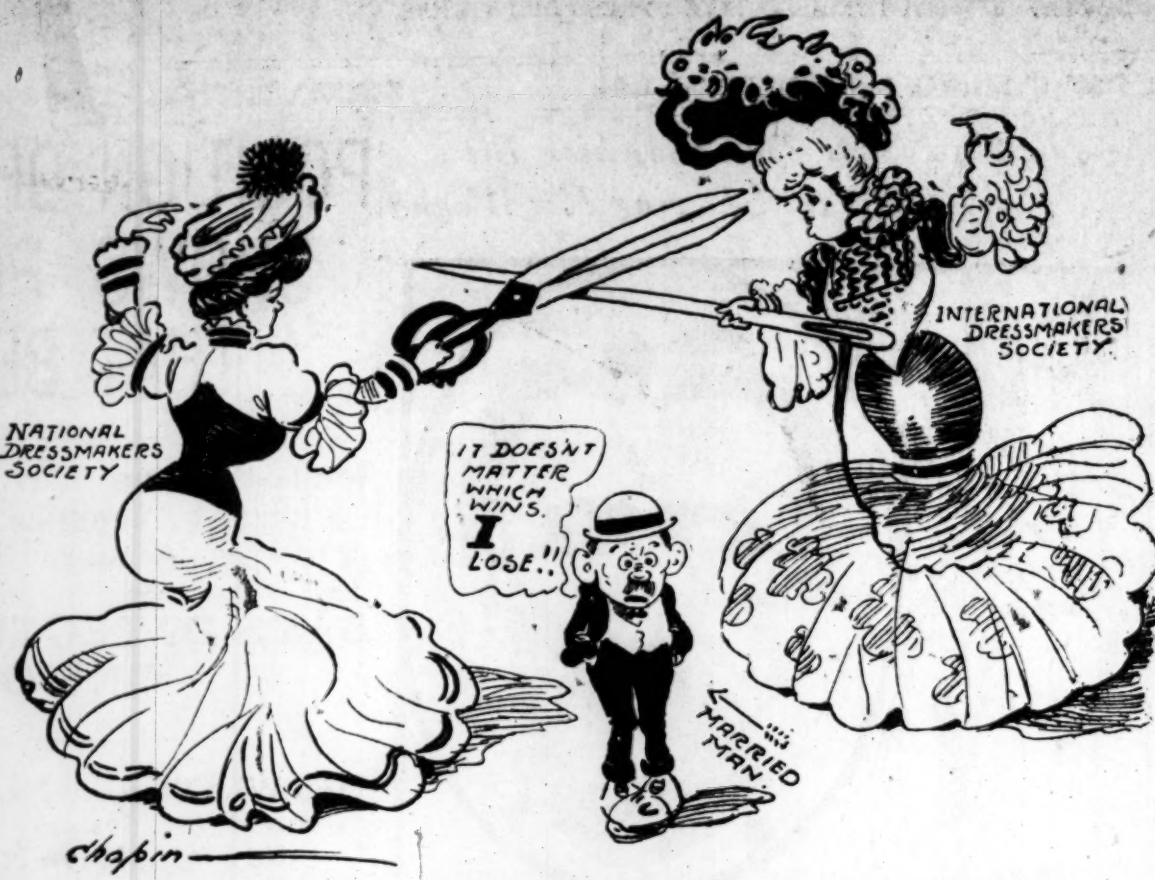
Thomas K. Niedringhaus, chairman of the Republican state committee, announced Tuesday that he had employed Attorney Jephtha D. Howe to defend Beck, whom he believes was the victim of "Indian" thugery.

GIRL TRIES TO SHOOT MAN

Accuses Him of Circulating False Reports and Attacks Him at Church Door.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
HOUSTON, Mo., Sept. 20.—Thomas Bridges, living north of town, had a narrow escape from being shot by Olga Law, a

Pity the Poor Married Man! The Dressmakers Are at War.



VISAYAN MAIDENS RIVAL SOUBRETTES AS MODELS

Competition Between Two Dressmakers' Societies Now Meeting in St. Louis Yields Latest Evidence of Press Agents-Versatility.

"It is hard to tell who'll win the war between the gowns. The woods are full of champions of both. And both have got the goods."

The World's Fair has exhibited the press agent in undreamed-of ingenuity, and it remained for the press agents of the rival dressmakers' societies, meeting in St. Louis this week to come along and take the muck.

The National Dressmakers' Society is in session at the Epworth League Hotel. The International Dressmakers' Society is in session at Exposition Hall, at Thirteenth and Olive streets.

Strange, the dressmakers do not seem to be participating in the great congress of arts and sciences out at the World's Fair. It is understood that this is not because dressmaking is not regarded as both a science and an art, but because there are so many more women dressmakers than there are men scientists of all kinds that to recognize dressmaking would be equivalent to crowding feminine domination.

But the rival dressmaking organizations, thanks to their press agents, are not entirely overshadowed by the scientific congress, even though they are meeting outside the gates of the Exposition.

The press agents have been very busy. The gentleman whose duty it is to see that the National Dressmakers' Society does not suffer by non-publicity during its session went over to the Visayan village in the Philippines reservation Monday and picked out 20 of the loveliest of the Visayan maidens. He took them over to the Epworth League Hotel, where his society is meeting, and offered them as living models upon which the society might fit and display its latest gown.

For this brilliant coup the press agent of the National was all but kissed in the fullness of the dressmakers' gratitude, for the Visayan girls are not only a fine drawing card in themselves, but they are so shapely of figure that the sartorial creations of the society are set off in a way that causes the average woman to go clothes-mad the moment she sees one of them.

The press agent of the International got very busy when he heard of his rival's stroke. He went over into Music Hall and secured 40 of the finest looking of the show girls in the Music Hall "Louisiana" company. He took them into Exposition Hall, turned them over to the International, and the society is exhibiting there, and got an effect that stunned people across the whole length of the hall.

"O, aren't they lovely!" "I want six like that!" and things similarly ecstatic came from the lips of visiting ladies as they beheld the society's gowns upon these stately show girls.

The Visayan girls are in Paradise. It is the first time they ever essayed the role of aerial lady, and they are never more than a few feet from the hands of the world's most famous dressmakers. The girls have never been favored in any such regal fashion before, and they can't bear to think that some day it must end.

young woman, who accused him of circulating false reports concerning her. She sent him word that she would kill him if he did not stop circulating the reports. At the close of services at a country church, Miss Law called Bridges out from the crowd, and after he had refused to take back what he had said, Miss Law pulled out a revolver from her umbrella, where she concealed it, and attempted to fire. The cartridge did not explode and Bridges grabbed the revolver.

Bridges is married, and Miss Law is about 16 years of age. The young woman was brought here by Constable Shepard and gave bond for her appearance at Circuit Court.

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Payment for Friar's Land.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The first payment of \$100,000 to the Sociedad Agrícola Del Ultramar, on account of the purchase of the friar's land in the Philippines, was today authorized by the war department.

PASTOR JANZOW UPHOLD BY HIS CONGREGATION

Members of Bethlehem Church, by Vote of 230 to 38, Refuse to Disavow Action of Minister in Filing Civil Suits.

VISITING MINISTERS PLEAD WITH HIM TO WITHDRAW SUIT

At Exciting Session Which Packed Gymnasium Hall—Right of Clergyman to Seek Personal Redress in Courts Is Thoroughly Debated.

By an overwhelming negative vote on a motion to disavow his course in taking church differences into the circuit court, Rev. Charles L. Janzow, pastor of Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, Pleasant avenue and Salisbury street, has been sustained in his action by a majority of his congregation.

The vote, which grew out of the recent action of Pastor Janzow in filing a suit for \$45,000 against 13 members of the church, stood 38 ayes and 230 noes.

The question arose at a church meeting which was held Monday night, in response to a call issued by the defendants in the damage case.

"The original purpose of the meeting was to try Pastor Janzow and August Rodefeld on various charges they have made against one another. The meeting developed into a three hours' argument over the right of Pastor Janzow to seek personal redress in the courts."

The meeting was held in the gymnasium of the Bethlehem Young Men's Society building, at Salisbury and Nineteenth streets. The hall was packed. Those on the first floor occupied pews situated in the midst of punching bags and other athletic devices, while those in the gallery crowded about the small opening in the floor which permitted a view of the impressive scene below, drinking in every word of the long debate, which was spoken entirely in German. The temperature soon became oppressive, but no one left the meeting until the last word had been spoken and the last vote cast.

Church Secretary Gutowski presided. Rev. C. C. Schmidt of Holy Cross Church, vice-president of the general synod; Prof. Fuesbringer of Concordia Seminary; Rev. O. Hanser of Trinity Church and Rev. J. J. Bernthal, president of the district synod, were among the church officials present.

In the midst sat Rev. Janzow, seeming cool and collected during every moment of the meeting.

Visiting Pastors Express Regret.

In the front seats, opposite the secretary, were the defendants, charged with conspiracy to defame in the suit now pending. In these rows were Ferdinand G. Uhlen, Fred Uhlen, Henry F. Mueller, Erich Mueller, August Rodefeld, Henry Brouner, Andreas Kopp, Adolph Bischoff, William Paschke, Peter Brauch, Frank Gibbizer, John A. Lochmann, Max Lochmann, Gustave A. Just and Theodore Faerber.

It soon became evident that the visiting pastors were sorely distressed at the action of Rev. Mr. Janzow in bringing suit. They were anxious, they stated, to dispose of an ecclesiastical case against Rodefeld, who is under church discipline, but could not do so while he is defendant in a damage case. Rodefeld is charged in the suit with being one of Rev. Janzow's persistent defamers.

Pastor Janzow, the most venerable figure on the platform, stated the clergy's view of the case regarding Rodefeld.

"Let him speak the truth and there need be no fear of the law," shouted a Janzow supporter in the rear of the hall.

His reference to the question of his own liability to be declared heretic, he pleaded, "The judges are not of our faith; they have always objected to being dragged into church wrangles, and how are they to know whether our church precepts have been violated or not?"

The room was in an uproar. The sounds of loud voices were wafted out into the streets, where stood a large number of the women members of the church, all anxious to hear the first news from the council.

Plea to Withdraw Suit Fruitless.

It at once became necessary for the chair, in order to maintain quiet, to declare a ruling that none but visiting officials and the pastor would be permitted to indulge in remarks.

Then began two hours of pleading with his suit and relieve the church of its embarrassment.

To each of those who addressed him Rev. Janzow replied that the matter had gone too far now to be recalled. He said he had stood patiently the nagging and bickering and insinuations of certain members of the congregation for nearly ten years, and he felt justified in laying the matter before the court, since he believed his rights as a citizen, as well as a churchman, had been violated.

In his reference to the questioning of his honor, he said: "When Frederick Schwartz threatened to commit suicide in his own house unless he was assisted financially in his grain dealer's ruling that none but visiting members of the congregation to invest their money and lose it all. If Schwartz chose to withdraw the suit that was his own affair."

"No, no, no," burst forth from all parts of the house as the man took his seat. To the remark, and all others of a similar nature, Pastor Janzow replied that he had no more money in the Schwartz failure, and was as completely duped as the rest.

The pastor remaining firm in his refusal to withdraw the suit, an appeal was made to the voting members of the church to disavow the course of the minister.

The motion gave the first opportunity for the opposing parties to show their strength. The supporters of Pastor Janzow, who had been silenced by the rule, then came forward. Deposited in the civil suit will be taken all day Wednesday in the law offices of Wm. F. Smith, in the Locust building.

On Oct. 10, at 10 o'clock, unless a continuance is taken, the case will be heard in the October term.

SAVANTS GROUP THEMSELVES BY SPECIES AT FAIR

After Forming Divisions According to Lore in Which They Are Expert, Members of Arts and Sciences Congress Begin Group Meetings.

WIA American De Forest Wireless Telegraph.
WORLD'S FAIR, Sept. 20.—The vast and varied purposes of the International Congress of Arts and Sciences caused it to break up into divisions and departments Tuesday, according to plan.

It first separated into divisions and then into departments, the more effectively to work toward accurate classification in the great department of human knowledge, which is the great purpose of the congress. Later it will further divide into sections.

At 10 o'clock the congress, which met Monday as one body, separated into seven grand divisions, and under the leadership of the greatest savants in the world in their respective divisions, considered scientific subjects in their broader developments and relations.

At the conclusion of these meetings, there was a still greater separation into divisions for the consideration of questions of more particular bearing.

The seven grand divisions were addressed by the seven chairmen.

The meetings were all held in halls in the Administration group of buildings.

All were well attended and at each there were numbers of men who would individually be conspicuous in any gathering for their achievements.

The divisions and speakers were: Utilitarian sciences, President David Starr Jordan, Leland Stanford University; social regulation, Prof. Abbott L. Lowell, Harvard University; historical science, Prof. Woodrow Wilson, Princeton University; physical science, Prof. Robert S. Woodward, Columbia University; social culture, Hon. Wm. T. Harris, United States commissioner; mental science, President G. Stanley Hall, Clark University, Worcester, Mass.

The separation of the more detailed work of the congress was into 24 departments, as follows:

Meeting at 11:15 o'clock, economics, biology, science of the earth, political history, history of law, philosophy and mathematics and history of art; meeting at 2 o'clock, social science, politics, technology, history of language, history of religion, physics, psychology, anthropology; meeting at 4:15 o'clock, medicine, education, jurisprudence, religion, chemistry, history of literature, sociology and astronomy.

There were two addresses in each of these 24 great departments of knowledge.

The theme of one address in each case is fundamental conceptions and methods of the science.

The duration of each sectional session is to be three hours.

The morning sessions will extend from 10 to 1 o'clock and the afternoon sessions from 2 to 5 o'clock.

SOUTH'S OLDEST VETERAN IS DEAD

Aged Survivor of Confederacy Comes to Visit World's Fair and Succumbs to Exhaustion.

HE LIVED ALMOST A CENTURY

George Washington Bradley Was Well Known to Missouri Participants in the War.

George Washington Bradley, said by his friends to have been the oldest Confederate veteran, is dead.

At the age of 97 years, Bradley came from Houston, Tex., to see the World's Fair and the exhaustion attending the trip proved too much for him. He expired Monday morning at St. Mary's infirmary, where he had been taken from his rooming house, 34 Market street, Saturday night.

Bradley entered the service of the confederacy at the outset of hostilities. He joined Company A, Third Missouri Infantry, and served throughout the war.

Fifty-seven was the advanced age at which Bradley took up arms for his country. During the entire four years of fighting he never received an injury.

At the age of 81, when the war closed, Bradley was as vigorous as the volunteers who were in their teens.

For more than 20 years the aged soldier has earned his living by traveling over the country selling photographs. He carried many mementoes and relics of the war.

A cane said to have been carried by Maximilian when the latter was emperor of Mexico, and a cane used by Daniel Boone were used by the veteran. Bradley was born in Lynchburg, Va., June 2, 1807.

A sword said to have been worn by Gen. McDonald during the war was lovingly carried by the old man in his travels about the country.

He never missed a reunion of his veterans and had said he would meet some of his old comrades at the fair.

Friends of the veteran in Houston, Tex., have been notified of his death.

Bradley lived in Salisbury, Mo., for a period after the war and is well known to many Missouri veterans of the confederacy.

and of the other the progress during the past century.

The addresses were all delivered by Americans, making the work of the first two days the contribution of American scholars.

Wednesday the international work will begin.

During the four remaining days 123 sectional meetings will be held. At each two papers will be read, one on the relation of the special branch to other branches and the other on the present problems.

The program has been so arranged that related subjects will be treated as far as possible at different times, enabling persons to hear all the addresses on related subjects.

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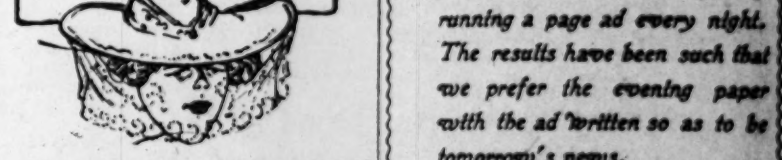
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MINSTREL SHOW SHADOWS THE PIKE

Attaches of New York Building Perform at Inside Inn for Public Charities.

The Pike's Club, an organization among the attaches at the New York building, gave a minstrel show at the Inside Inn Monday night.

There isn't any doubt about it having been a minstrel show, for there was much fierce male singing, and the wits of the club sprung jokes not original with them.

But it was a great success, even though it was a minstrel show, and a big audience stood for it. Several of the officials and dignitaries of the World's Fair were present.

The show was under the direction of Miss Dore Lyon, hostess of the New York building, and it was given for the benefit of the Model Nursery and the Children's Playground at the Fair.

Miss Lyon is said today to have cast a dark shadow on the Pike with her minstrel show. Some of the jokes were original. For instance:

"Why is the Fair larger at night than in the morning?"

"Because at night every foot is an acher."

Others were not original. Here's one published in the Post-Dispatch so long ago we had almost forgotten it:

"Who is the greatest exhibitor at the Fair? Is it Germany, England, Ja?"

"No, France is."

Stop thief!

Gus Edwards, singer and composer, sang a couple of his own songs. One was "The Girl Who Cares for Me," and the other was "Good-Bye, Little Girl, Good-Bye," or the girl who doesn't.

The hit of the night was made by Miss Terious Asia, the Igorrote hostess, who sang a song composed for the occasion.

It ran:

Old St. Louis held a Fair and invited all the earth.

To come and sell its products there for double what they're worth.

They got some help from Congress—about five million planks or so.

Then sent a wire to heaven for some one to run the show.

And down came David, the Fair was saved.

He's Johnny on the spot, I'd have you know.

He said with fury, "I'm from Missouri."

So show me, take me, lead me to the show."

Behind the Halls of Congress is a building black and dead.

Upon the door, "Abandon hope, all ye who enter here."

The Board of Lady Managers there grimly lies in wait.

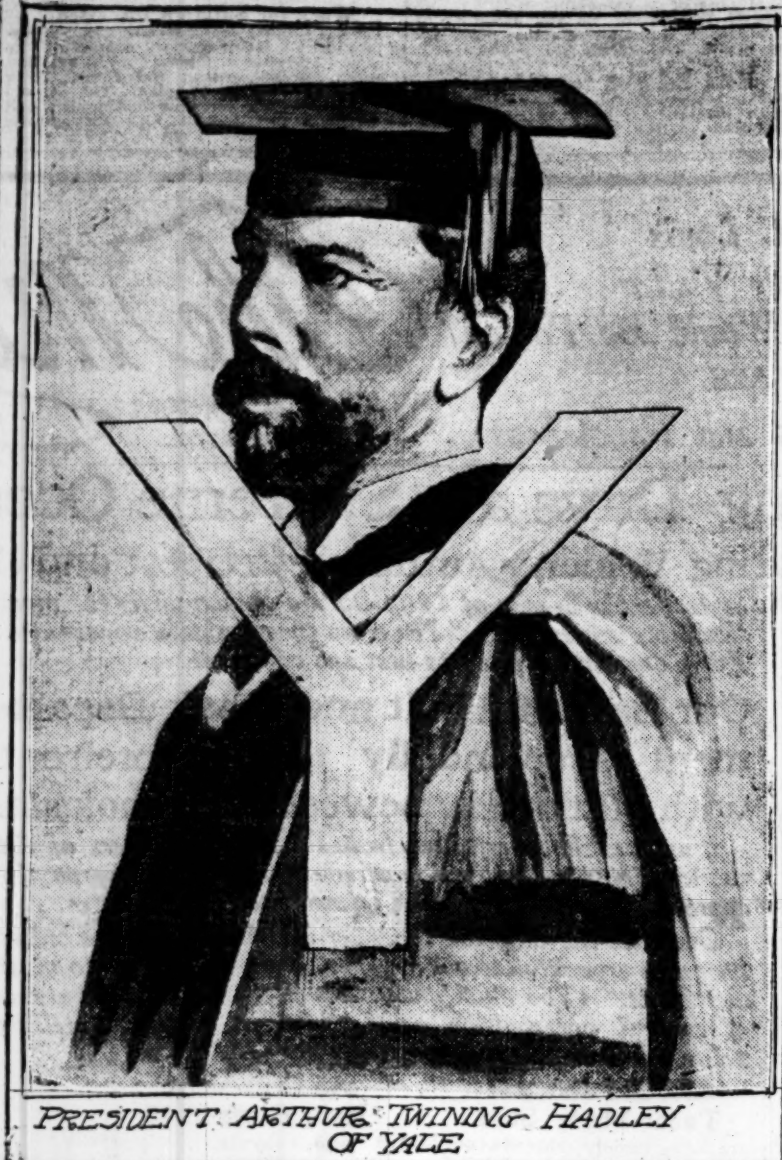
For all the hopeless souls who yearn to be received in state.

O Mrs. Manning, they say you're planning to take a hand in managing the show.

We'll never see it if you will do it.

But don't you let that Mr. Carter know.

PRESIDENT OF YALE UNIVERSITY HONORED GUEST AT ALUMNI BANQUET



PRESIDENT ARTHUR TWINING HADLEY OF YALE

Present at Organization of Associated Western Yale Clubs—St. Louis Man Elected Vice-President.

Dr. Arthur T. Hadley, president of Yale University, is now in St. Louis. He was the guest of honor at a banquet given by

Yale alumni of St. Louis and other cities at the Tyrolean Alps Monday night. President Hadley, Exposition President Francis, John H. Hammond, Gen. John W. Noble and Frederick N. Judson delivered addresses. Two hundred Yale alumni and other guests were present.

The formation of the associated western Yale clubs, including local alumni clubs of cities and states in the central West, preceded the banquet. Officers of the new association elected were: George E. Vincent of Chicago, president; Edward E. Hidden of St. Louis, vice-president; H. I. Rogers of Chicago, secretary; and Francis A. Leach of Kansas City, treasurer.

Lockjaw Antidote Has First Failure

Disease Defeats Serum Cure in St. Louis While Famous Discoverer Is Visiting in City.

For the first time in medical records, it is said, an immunizing dose of Kitasato's antitetanic serum has failed to exert its effect, and at that, just when Dr. Kitasato, discoverer of the serum, is in St. Louis.

Harry Granger, a patient at the Emergency Hospital, died from tetanus yesterday, although he had been given an immunizing dose of the antitoxin within half an hour after his injury.

A horse stepped on his foot, and as stable yards are a favorite lurking place of the tetanus germ, the physicians at the City Hospital, where he was first taken, took the precaution to inject the serum immediately.

Granger left the hospital soon after the serum was administered, and went to his home, 207 North Beaumont street, where he stayed for two days, when tetanic symptoms appeared and he was removed to the Emergency Hospital.

Although the first serum discovered, the antitetanic serum has become known as the only perfect immunizing serum, and until yesterday it was believed that the effects of a heavy inoculation with tetanus germs was always neutralized by a dose of the serum if given within an hour after the tetanus germs were introduced into the system.

Thousands of rabbits, guinea pigs and other animals upon which the bacteriologists experiment, have been treated to prove the serum perfect. The procedure was to inoculate two animals with the germs and then to inoculate one of them with a dose of the serum. The one given the serum has always lived, while the unprotected animal has died.

This serum was discovered by Dr. Shibusaburo Kitasato, professor in the University of Tokyo, who is one of the greatest living authorities on nervous diseases. He is in St. Louis attending the Congress of Arts and Sciences, where he will lecture on the diseases of the nervous system before the greatest gathering of specialists that has ever been assembled. He is one of two selected to deliver addresses.

Changes on the Pike.

Mrs. L. Bowser, who won fame at Buffalo at the Pan-American, has assumed management of the Seaside Railway Restaurant. The special features will be creamed chicken, oyster cocktails and oyster sandwiches at prices surprisingly low for the excellence of cuisine and service.

Mrs. Bowser's popularity at Buffalo was phenomenal and she has but to be known in St. Louis to repeat the success of her Nebraska Sojourn.

Problems Before Presbytery.

Delate on the proposed union with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and on the establishment of separate presbyteries for the negroes will be heard Tuesday night at the regular fall meeting of the St. Louis presbytery, which will begin in the Presbyterian Church at Webster Groves. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev. Robert W. Ely.

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BOY PREVENTS A WOMAN'S ESCAPE

Prisoner in Clayton Jail Was Picking Way Through Brick Wall When Lad Discovered Her.

Freddie Hencken, the eight-year-old nephew of Sheriff Hencken of St. Louis County, is the hero of the sheriff's office at Clayton. He prevented an escape from jail at Clayton Monday when he saw one of the prisoners, a young woman, picking her way to liberty through the brick walls of the jail corridor.

The little "deputy" notified his uncle and Sheriff Roth and both arrived in time to prevent the woman's escape.

The prisoner, Lucinda Harper, a young woman committed to jail by Justice Jacob of Kirkwood, on a charge of petit larceny, was waiting trial and had been allowed the privilege of the jail corridor.

In some manner she obtained a pair of scissors and with these started digging her way through the brick and mortar of the thick corridor wall. Reaching her hand through the window of the corridor, she worked from the outside and had succeeded in tearing away several bricks when discovered by the boy who gave the alarm.

SENATOR GORMAN MEETS LEADERS IN NEW YORK

Jews and Socialists Clash Feasting on Day of Atonement Brings About Attack From Orthodox Churchmen.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The Day of Atonement was marked in London by serious rioting in the Jewish quarter of the East End. Over 200 Jews engaged in a disturbance and nearly 300 police had to be called out before the disorder was quelled. The trouble grew out of the action of non-conforming members of a Social Democratic Club at Spitalfields, situated in the heart of a district containing 20,000 Jewish inhabitants.

The Socialists openly paraded, in disregard of the fasting injunction, and made a celebration with wines at the clubhouse. The orthodox Jews were angered and surrounded the clubhouse and stoned it. The Socialists threw bottles at the crowd and soon the two or three narrow streets in the vicinity became choked by a fighting mob. A number were injured, none seriously.

SENATOR GORMAN MEETS LEADERS IN NEW YORK

Members of the National Committee Hurry to Headquarters to Discuss Plans for Campaign—All See Certain Indications of Victory.

JUDGE PARKER DELAYS VISIT UNTIL AFTER CONVENTION

Senator Bailey Points Out Weakness in President Roosevelt's Letter of Acceptance, Asserting It Is Discreditable to Man of His Office.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Senator Gorman has returned to this city to take part in the campaign and conferred today with Senator Martin of Virginia, a member of the executive committee; Senator Daniel and J. Taylor Elyson, national committeeman from Virginia; Timothy E. Ryan, executive committeeman from Wisconsin; Senator Bailey of Texas and a number of other leaders of national importance. James M. Guffey of Pittsburgh and ex-Senator Smith of New Jersey arrived here today.

Judge Parker was expected to come here tonight, but word was received that he would probably not come before Thursday, when Senator Gorman and the Democratic leaders mentioned will confer with him on reports of apathetic conditions in the West. By Thursday the New York leaders will be back from the state convention.

Senator Martin said today that he thought Judge Parker was steadily gaining ground. Both he and Senator Daniel will take the stump at once.

"At no time," said Senator Daniel, "have I ever doubted the election of Parker and Davis. Today the chances are better than ever. Reports that I have received from every part of the country, especially the doubtful states, show that Democratic prospects are brightening. I feel confident that New York, New Jersey and Connecticut will go Democratic and that we will get enough votes in the Middle West to insure Parker's election."

Senator Bailey said of President Roosevelt's letter of acceptance: "No such document ever before emanated from a man occupying such a high position. It has a most literary quality and would be a very creditable stump speech, but as a formal and semi-official paper, it offends against every rule of decency. When analyzed, it simply resolves itself into a revolving attack upon his opponents."

"It charges from beginning to end that we are either hypocrites or fools. It says that if we mean what we say we are fools, and that if we do not mean what we say we are hypocrites. Such an attack, or, rather, such an attempt to argue, is discreditable to any candidate for a great office."

Chairman Taggart is expected back from the West tonight.

EXHUME MRS. WATSON'S BODY

Dr. Jones Watson, the Husband, Seeks Evidence to Refute Murder Charge Against Him.

NEW LONDON, Mo., Sept. 29.—The defense in the case of Dr. Jones Watson, charged with the murder of his wife, made an unexpected move when the body of Mrs. Watson was exhumed.

C. Vaughan at Ann Arbor, Mich., for thorough chemical analysis.

Dr. Vaughan is dean of the medical department of the state university, and professor of physiological chemistry and director of the laboratory at that institution. He has an international reputation.

The autopsy was made by Dr. J. T. White of Freeport, Ill., Dr. J. S. Bradley of Frankfort, Mo., Dr. Hagan of New London and Dr. Munroe of Madisonville, Mo.

Sheriff Whitmore, by the direction of Dr. Watson's attorney, left last night for Ann Arbor, Mich., with the viscera.

More Religion for Chinese.

A new feature of the Presbyterian evangelistic committee's work in St. Louis is announced in the intention to place a

second gospel wagon on the streets to work largely in Hop alley among the Chinese. The gospel wagon now in use by the committee has been in Hop alley and the interest shown by the Chinese has led to the decision to employ another wagon. Audiences of from 150 to 200 are attracted nightly to the wagon in St. Louis Chinatown.

Work for Children Discussed.

The 22d annual conference of the National Children's Home Society opened at the Grand Avenue United Presbyterian Church, Grand avenue and Forest Park boulevard, Tuesday morning. The conference, which will continue Wednesday and Thursday, was opened with an address of welcome by Rev. John D. Vincil, president of the Missouri society, followed by the annual address of the president of the society, Charles R. Henderson of Chicago. "Our Call, Our Field, Our Duty," and its address, "The Evolution of the Children's Home Society," by the secretary, Hastings H. Hart, L.L.D.

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Wednesday at 9 o'clock we will offer 50 pieces Silk Mull; colors, light blue, pink, cream, white and black; worth 39c per yard; for half hour Wednesday, at 12½c

35c Imported Dress Sateens
At 9 A. M. for One-Half Hour.
To crowd our Wash Goods Department Wednesday we shall offer 250 pieces imported morcelized Dress and Shirt-Waist Sateens. Latest material for fall suits, in a beautiful lift of choicest printings, brown and white, blue and white, black and white, etc. 32 inches wide—absolutely worth 35c a yard—at 9 a. m. on sale, yard (no mail or phone orders filled) 15c

\$2.50 All-Wool Skirt Patterns
At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.
Wednesday at 9:30 o'clock we will offer 100 Patterns, black and colored, all pure wool worsted chevrons, 54-inch covers and home-spuns, worth \$1.00 per yard, or \$3.00 a full skirt pattern of three yards; Wednesday, half hour, per pattern \$1.25

\$12.50 Tailor-Made Suits for \$4.95.
Just for Half an Hour at 9 A. M.
Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, in fine all-wool materials, assorted colors and styles. Some the latest, others left from Spring, but you get a suit well worth \$12.50 today for half an hour. The skirt is well worth the money. \$4.95

\$2 Iron Frame Wash Wringers
At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.
Iron Frame Wash Wringers, 10-inch pure white rubber rollers, vulcanized on to shaft—guaranteed for one year. Sale Price for one-half hour \$1.00

\$2.25 Boys' Woolen Sailor Suits
At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour.
We have 25 Boys' Double-Breasted Sailor Suits with white Buster Brown collars to be worn separately; ages 3 to 6 years; to be closed out in half hour, at \$1.00

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PARKER THREATENS BREAK WITH HILL

Presidential Candidate Empowers William F. Sheehan to Take Steps to Defeat Stanchfield.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ESOPUS, N. Y., Sept. 29.—An open break between Mr. Parker and Mr. Hill is possible if Mr. Hill tries to force Stanchfield's nomination for governor of New York at the Democratic state convention. Such a course would be contrary to the political and judicial habits of Mr. Parker, but as a last resort it might be taken.

The general public do not realize how strained have become the relations between Mr. Parker and Mr. Hill through the many differences of opinion between them over matters of policy and campaign arrangements. Their methods, standards and habits of thought are different.

Any one of several proposed candidates would be acceptable to Mr. Parker, but Stanchfield would not. Mr. Parker has so far declined to make or to authorize a public statement to that effect. It has been no occasion for any such interference by him in the state campaign, and authoritative action by him will be as a last resort. The belief here is that no such measure will be necessary.

Mr. Sheehan will be empowered to take suitable action should an extreme situation require it, as he was empowered to act at St. Louis when an exigent situation required it there.

Waukesha water, 10 gallons or gallon bottles delivered. Phone White Rock Water Co.

VETERAN KILLS COMANDER.

Quarrel Over Leave of Absence From Home Ends Fatally.
NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Sept. 29.—Following a difficulty over the refusal of the captain to issue a pass giving him permission to absent himself from the grounds, Frederick J. Kingley, 72 years of age, an inmate of the National Soldiers' Home at Hampton, fatally stabbed Capt. Augustus C. Paul, 66 years of age, the commander of his company in the latter's office.

Kingley was a minstrel performer of some note before and after the civil war. He is a prisoner in the guardhouse at this afternoon.

Cholera infantum is quickly cured by Wakefield's Blackberry Balm. Druggists.

IOWA SUFFERS FROM STORM.

Many Buildings Damaged at Okaloosa—Severe Hail at Albia.
DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 29.—A terrific wind, hail and rain storm has damaged many thousands dollars' worth of property at Okaloosa. The building occupied by the Spencer's wholesale grocery was demolished, the Illinois Central depot was unroofed and practically all the business houses were damaged more or less severely.

Reports from other parts of the state indicate the severity of the storm. At Albia the hail was said to be five inches deep.

World's Fair Souvenir Shoes.
White House souvenir shoes, made by The Brown Shoe Co. at the World's Fair, of selected kid and patent leather, \$1.00 per pair. Also Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for boys at Barr's Shoe Department, Seventh and Olive streets.

Every Resident of St. Louis Every World's Fair Visitor Everyone Who Would Be Posted SHOULD SEE

Fashion's Fall Fads and Fancies at These Opening Days are Supreme Occasions

During Which Autumn's Crispest and Most Captivating Styles for the Season of 1934-35 are shown under the most favorable advantages. The store wears a gala appearance. Every department is at its best and of course

Our Beautiful Suit and Cloak Department is splendidly to the forefront with all that is newest and choicest.

It mirrors the latest ideas from the fashion centers of the world. This is a collection of garments certain to win the approval of all women with refined and critical tastes.

Owing to the wholesale manner in which we place orders we are in a position to quote values quite impossible to most merchants. (You must understand that this store is but one of several operated by us.) Here are timely and telling values:

\$20, \$25 and \$30 Tailor-Made Suits Are being rapidly selected at our special price of \$15 by the wise feminine shoppers of St. Louis. Such values stand positively unequalled at this, the outset of the Fall season. All kinds of materials. The coats are silk lined. Best tailoring is shown in the manufacture. Tomorrow we will place 15% more on sale at the Opening Special Price of..... \$15	\$15 Cravenette Rain Coats at \$9 Are also superlative values. High-class tailoring is evident throughout. Made of the best showerproof cravenette cloths and invaluable during dubious Fall weather. Take your choice of light or dark shades. Very dressy garments. Tomorrow we offer 50% more at the Opening Special Price of..... \$9
\$7.50 & \$10 Tourist Coats The new loose back models, made of Scotch tweeds, in a full line of sizes for both women and misses—big values at \$7.50 and \$10; Opening Special..... \$5.95	\$3 Shoulder Shawls Very fine large sizes Silk Shawls—in white, cream, black, blue and pink shades—all with deep fringe—\$3.00 the right price; \$1.50 Opening Special..... \$1.50
\$5 Walking Skirts Light and dark shades of the newest mixed cloths and plain materials—all lengths—women's and misses' sizes—man-tailored—regular \$5.00; Opening Special..... \$2.50	\$6 Silk Petticoats Best grades Taffeta Silk Petticoats—in black and a full line of colors—guaranteed quality—sold nowhere for less than \$6.00—Opening Special..... \$3.75

Smart Styles in Autumn Millinery

Add Beauty to Our Grand Opening

If there is anything bewitching under the sun it is the new Autumn Millinery. To mere man this may seem a puzzle, but to a daughter of Eve it is a most important yet highly fascinating subject—the inspection and purchase of a fashionable article of feminine headwear.

There is a peculiar color charm about this Autumn's millinery. The general color scheme seems to have been suggested by the varied hues of foliage of our Indian Summer. There are browns, olive green, terra cotta, coq de roche and such effects that are in perfect harmony with Nature's own Autumn tints. Of course we open the season with surpassing specials. Some details:

Smart Street Hats Of velvet, braids and other materials—opening price, \$2.95	See Our New Shades in Flowers —For the trimming of same—opening prices, 35c and 50c	The Most Popular School Hat For girls is the ROUGH RIDER — specially priced at 75c
Handsome Feather Wings —In brown, greens, reds, navy and black—opening price, 35c	Stylish Felt Shapes With handsome velvet bindings in all colors—opening price, \$1.95	Girlish Shirtwaist Sailors and Streamer Effects —For school wear—opening price, \$3.95

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27-INCH BLACK TAFETA —Fully warranted—very heavy—import—\$1.35 is the regular price— 98c	27-INCH WHITE HABUTAI —Good firm quality—will wash and wear well—the regular \$2.00— 48c
26-INCH BLACK PEAU DE SOIE —Double faced—very heavy—\$1.35 quality— \$1.35	19-INCH BLACK WARRANTED TAFETA —Equal to any 26c silk sold in the city—only a limited quantity—tomorrow 44c
20-INCH WHITE HABUTAI —All Silk—at 25c	20-INCH FANCY SILKS in stripes, checks and printed warp—worth 75c—at 49c

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With every copy of the popular two-step "ANONA" we give FREE a copy of the great hit song hit of the season, "SEMI-NOLE." Price 25c.

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With every copy of the world's famous waltz "WEDDING OF THE WINDS" we give FREE a copy of the new two-step "YANKEE GIRL." Price 25c.

Remember, the regular selling price of "Soko," "Anona," "Moonlight" and "Wedding of the Winds" is 50c per copy. All music lovers should take advantage of this unusual offer—WEDNESDAY ONLY.

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BREWERS END SESSION TODAY

Chicago Will Probably Continue to Be Association Headquarters.

The convention of the National Master Brewers' Association at Fiederskranz hall, Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, will be adjourned this evening. The members may visit the Pike and also take a trip through the local breweries. It is probable that before adjournment late this afternoon officers will be elected and the place for the next meeting be selected.

Of the 66 members of the association, 275 are present at the St. Louis meeting. The association has voted to leave the location

of the headquarters to the board of directors, which is composed of the greater part of Chicago men; and the headquarters will undoubtedly be left in that city.

The present officers of the association are: Joseph Knorr of Pittsburgh, Pa., president; Henry Knorr of Milwaukee, Wis., first vice-president; Cornelius Siegel of Chicago, second vice-president; Louis Suss of Chicago, secretary; and Frederick Schoedler of Chicago, treasurer.

Lineman Killed by Fall.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., Sept. 20.—August 20, a lineman, touched a live wire while working on an electric light pole and was killed by falling.

Eugene Cowles In Vaudeville

Eugene Cowles, whose ponderous baritone voice we have heard here with The Bostonians and more recently with Fritz Scheff in "Babette," is singing in vaudeville this season, and his is the most pretentious offering at the Columbia Theater this week.

Mr. Cowles was the last of the Columbia performers to appear Monday afternoon, and the big audience did him the honor of delaying the moving picture exhibit a few minutes to hear more of his splendid voice.

The Columbia's chief sketch this week is by Burns Mantle, dramatic critic of the Chicago Inter-Ocean. It is entitled "When Georgia Was Eighteen," and is presented by the Barrows-Lancaster company of five people. The scene is laid in "a small town in Missouri," which is not wholly clear until the story shows us an excited pair of elopers in the off of a justice of the peace, the strongest in the town.

The justice doesn't wed the pair as fast as they would like, stopping to ask a few questions. His inquiries elicit the information that the man in pursuit is not the girl's father, but her step-father, and the young lady goes on to tell a bit of her family history—how her father and mother parted, etc., and how she intended to elope with her father, let it cost what it will. She mentions her mother's name, and this, together with the circumstance of the separation, reminds the justice that he is the girl's father. The step-father is driven to the door, and the curtain goes down upon the wedding ceremony with the girl still unaware that she has found her father.

The sketch is very good, but it is not strong. It is not acted with the naturalness Mr. Mantle could have wished. Lawrence Drake, in the role of the expectant groom, seeming to be the only member of the little company to get the proper atmosphere into his part. The part of the justice, which should be the strongest in the sketch, is not played with half its possibilities.

Others at the Columbia this week are Bobby Gaylor, Ferguson and Benson, Warren and Blanchard, who ministered, have amused Columbia audiences as easily as Warren does. Mr. Raymond and Clark Johnson and Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Buckley, De Hallis and Valora, Hathaway and Walton.

Sothern and Marlowe Begin.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—An important dramatic event occurred last night at the Illinois Theater, when Charles Frohman presented for the first time E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe, supported by a specially selected company. It is a production of "Romeo and Juliet." It is Mr. Frohman's intention to take this organization for several years and to present both of these artists in revivals of the plays of Shakespeare. This season the tour will be confined to the principal cities. This was Mr. Sothern's first appearance as Romeo. The production is one of the most complete in every detail seen in recent years.

Irving's Farewell Tour.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Sir Henry Irving began his farewell season in the provinces at Cardiff last night, appearing in "The Merchant of Venice," with Edith Matthews as Portia. The house was crowded, and the audience gave an enthusiastic reception both to Sir Henry Irving and to the specially selected company.

The report published in the United States that Sir Henry Irving has engaged Miss Matthews as his wife is incorrect. The only basis of the story being in the fact that Miss Matthews will play Portia as Portia. Maude Fealy will support Sir Henry as Rosamond in "Becket," Julie in "The Lyons Mail," and Nora in "Waverley" throughout his farewell tour here and in the United States. Sir Henry will play "Becket" here tomorrow.

Harry C. Clark as Mr. Wix.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Another English comedy, "Mr. Wix of Wickham," was given American production last night at the Bijou Theater. The scene is laid in England, but the piece has been made over for use in this country by the addition of American jokes and a number of new songs. The plot follows the adventures of Mr. Wix, proprietor of the "Gentlemen's Vests Supply Store," at Coddington, and the sentimental troubles of a duke's daughter and young Australian millionaire. Harry C. Clark plays Mr. Wix, and Alice Poole and Thelma Fair are giving the leading female roles.

Missed Car, Leg Broken.

Rinhart Wetzel, aged 41, a clerk in the validating office at Union Station, suffered fracture of the left leg and several bruises by being knocked down by a Park avenue car which he attempted to catch Monday night about 10 o'clock while on the way to his home, 2861 Wisconsin avenue.

St. Joseph Financier Dead.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 20.—William H. Bartlett, one of the most widely known men in commercial circles in St. Joseph, where he has been engaged in business for more than forty years, died at his residence, 301 Hall street. He was the head of one of the largest loan and investment companies in Missouri.

Nevada Day Postponed.

Nevada Day, which was to have been celebrated Tuesday, has been postponed to a later day on account of the inability of Gov. Sparks to attend at this time. A. Verriington, executive commissioner, says that Nevada will have a day, but he cannot tell when it will be. The fact that there has been some difficulty of late about the maintenance of the Nevada holiday has nothing to do with the postponement. Mr. Verriington says. He adds that Gov. Sparks is much interested in Nevada Day at the World's Fair.

SIMON SELECTS PHYSICIANS.

Health Commissioner Simon has announced the appointment of Dr. C. C. Drake and Dr. A. T. Hayman to the positions of assistant physicians at the poorhouse, to take the places of Drs. Keane and Chiles, who were removed by the commission last week ago upon charges of incompetency. The new appointments assume their positions immediately.

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ROBBERS WIN PISTOL BATTLE

Two Italian Railroad Laborers Killed, One Wounded—Bandits Escape With \$485.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Two men were killed and another shot and seriously injured in a battle with bandits at Riverdale, a small town on the Illinois Central Railroad, 15 miles south of Chicago. Late last night two robbers broke into the section house occupied by several Italian laborers and the railroad men, who had re-

acted for the night, were ordered to produce what money they had.

Instead of complying, the Italians rushed on the robbers and tried to overpower them. In the fight that followed revolvers and knives were used, with the result that two of the Italians were killed and another severely injured.

Seeing that they were getting the worst of the fight the other occupants of the section house fled from the place and left the robbers in full possession.

The robbers then searched the place and secured \$485, set fire to the shanty and escaped in the darkness. Ben other employee of the railroad reached the place where the three men who had been shot were lying on the floor, but the fire had not reached them. The police so far have been

unable to learn the names of the two men who were murdered.

Vicenzo Bruno, the man who was injured, was unconscious when found, and could not be revived.

Farmer Attacked by Hog.

ROCHESTER, Ill., Sept. 20.—George Miller, an aged resident and well-known farmer, residing near here, was severely injured by a vicious hog. Miller was feeding the hog when it attacked him in an effort to get over the fence. Miller fell and before assistance arrived the hog had badly lacerated his legs and one hip. Fears for Miller's recovery are advanced because of his (Miller's) age.

AGED MINISTER WILL RETIRE.

Rev. Dr. Bartholomew Preaches His Farewell Sermon.

The Rev. Dr. O. A. Bartholomew, a retired minister of the Christian Church, has decided to leave the ministry on account of his advanced age and poor health. He preached his farewell sermon to his brother ministers Monday. He has been in the ministry for nearly fifty years and has held pastorates in St. Louis, Cincinnati, Covington and Philadelphia. In the past 15 years he has organized 12 congregations in this city. Dr. Bartholomew is 77 years old.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

"I had a breaking out on my body and I tried different remedies without relief. I then tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and before I had taken half a bottle I was entirely cured."—M. A. WALL, Bentley Creek, Pa.

What was the matter with this man? Ask your doctor. He will tell you that the man's blood was impure. Just as soon as the Sarsaparilla purified and enriched his blood he was entirely cured. See that your blood is pure. Consult your own doctor about this.

81.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

TOOTH BARGAINS?

Yes, or you may call them "plate bargains," or "crown bargains," or "filling bargains," because we are doing all branches of dental work at bargain prices to induce more people to visit our parlors and see for themselves the elegance and completeness of our establishment, and you can depend on our work as first-class in every particular, and our prices are reasonable.

THE CROWN DENTISTS 800 OLIVE ST. Opp. Post-Office. HOURS DAILY: 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. We make teeth without plates. Crowns and bridges a specialty. We will give you a written guarantee for 15 years with all our work.

FREE EXAMINATION TO ALL who apply. FREE clinic for people with limited means from 5 to 8 p. m., when all WORK and EXTRACTING will be done FREE.

THE CROWN DENTAL PARLORS 800 Olive St., St. Louis Opp. Post-Office.



Mrs. Weisslitz, president of the German Womans' Club of Buffalo, N. Y., after doctoring for two years, was finally cured of her kidney trouble by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted, kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless prompt and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.

Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pinkham, early in her career, gave careful study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for woman's ills—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—made sure that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was certain to control that dreaded disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts in harmony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while there are many so-called remedies for kidney troubles, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the only one especially prepared for women.

Read What Mrs. Weisslitz Says.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For two years my life was simply a burden. I suffered so with female troubles, and pains across my back and loins. The doctor told me that I had kidney troubles and prescribed for me. For three months I took his medicines, but grew steadily worse. My husband then advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and brought home a bottle. It is the greatest blessing ever brought to our home. Within three months I was a changed woman. My pain had disappeared, my complexion became clear, my eyes bright, and my entire system in good shape."—Mrs. PAULA WEISSLITZ, 176 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Proof that Kidney Trouble can be Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel very thankful to you for the good your medicine has done me. I had doctoring for years and was steadily growing worse. I had trouble with my kidneys, and two doctors told me I had Bright's disease, also had falling of the womb, and could not walk a block at a time. My back and head ached all the time, and I was so nervous I could not sleep; had hysteria and fainting spells, was tired all the time, had such a pain in my left side that I could hardly stand at times without putting my foot on something.

"I doctoring with several good doctors, but they did not help me any. I took, in all, twelve bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, five boxes of Liver Pills, and used three packages of Sanative Wash, and feel like a new woman, can eat and sleep well, do all my own work, and can walk two miles without feeling over-tired. The doctors told me that my kidneys are all right now. I am so happy to be well, and I feel that I owe it all to your medicine."—Mrs. OPAL STRONG, Dalton, Mass.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address Lynn, Mass.

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Food Choppers

UNIVERSAL Food Choppers are acknowledged the best—they chop all kinds of meat and vegetables in nice even pieces—do not crush. We offer them during this demonstration at special prices.

Size 0—worth \$1.00—at..... 75c
Size 1—worth \$1.25—at..... 98c
Size 2—worth \$1.50—at..... \$1.25
Size 3—worth \$2.00—at..... \$1.50

Hand-Embroidered Shirt-Waist Suits

ABOUT 25 Summer Costumes on hand—made of pure handkerchief linen—waists neatly trimmed with handwork embroidery; skirts all over pleated. These costumes are clean and fresh, and were marked to sell at \$15.00—choice, Wednesday—\$4.95

Basement Bargains For the Early Shoppers

CHALLIES—Large variety of fancy printed light and dark colored Dress Challies—worth \$2.00 a yard—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 40c

SATEENS—Fast Black Mercerized Dress Sateens—34 inches wide—worth 40c a yard—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 10c

MUSLINS—Genuine "Fruit of the Loom" Bleached Muslin—as staple as sugar—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 6c

SHEETING—Extra heavy unbleached Sheeting—8-4 wide—worth 25c a yard—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 15c

SKIRT PATTERNS—Best quality light colored Flannelette Skirt Patterns—extra large—worth 40c a set—from 8 to 10, in basement..... 25c

FLANNELS—Fine non-shrinkable Scotch Flannels—fancy striped—beautiful colors—30 inches wide—worth 40c a yard—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 25c

WAISTINGS—Heavy White Mercerized Waistings—beautiful striped patterns—large assortment—worth 25c a yard—from 8 to 10, per yard..... 12c

COMBIS—Large size covered with fancy printed mercerized satin, filled with white corded cotton, covering a skirt—worth up to \$4.00—worth 8 to 10, at..... \$2.50

3 O'Clock Special

BEST quality 35-inch French Flannelette—light blue, navy blue, white, red or brown, with beautiful fancy printed Persian patterns—extra heavy grade—suitable for dressing sacques, knifon wrappers, children's dresses, etc.—worth 15c a yard—on sale at 3 o'clock in basement—per yard..... 9c

A Sale of Soiled and Mussed Dressing Sacques and Kimonas

WE HAVE on hand a great number of Wash Dressing Sacques and Kimonas that are a little soiled and mussed—the materials are pure white or colored lawns, trimmed in a great variety of styles. We offer them at greatly reduced prices.

Values ranging to \$2.00—at..... 50c
Values ranging to \$3.50—at..... \$1.00

\$5.00 Silk Petticoats for \$3.75

WANT a nice Rustling Taffeta Silk Petticoat at a bargain? Here is your opportunity—200 of them go on sale Wednesday. They are made with deep bias flare ruffle, finished with small tucks—others have deep accordion-pleated flounce, finished with two small ruffles and rose pleating—fancy striped, solid colors, changeable and black—excellent values at \$5.00—special, Wednesday..... \$3.75

New Silks and Velvets

GREAT bargain offerings in desirable Silks and Velvets for Fall wear—savings worth considering.

59c Black Brocade Silks, 15c.

Black Brocade Silks in grosgrain and moire effects with large satin figures; splendid for underskirts and all kinds of linings; are out of date, but there will be a great demand for them at this price; 22 inches wide—15c in basement, yard..... 15c

BLACK VELVET—Small and large white polka dots, reds and black dots—22 inches wide—quality..... 35c
A TIX FOUARE—navy blue only—with small spots, dots and figures—24 inches wide—75c quality—yard..... 49c
METAL VELVETS in black, greens, reds and blue with small dots and figures—24 inches wide—75c quality—yard..... 59c

Wednesday, Sept. 21st

GRAND-LEADER BROADWAY AND WASHINGTON SIX BARS FULLER

Laces From Auction.

30,000 yards of fine Laces bought at 40c to 50c on the dollar during the pre-emptory sale of F. Wild & Co.'s stock held by Townsend and Montan, New York, on sale at an equal saving.

GRAND-LEADER was the only St. Louis house represented at this sale. We secured immense quantities of Point Venise, Irish Crochet, Oriental, Cluny, Chantilly and French Laces in Bands, Allovers, Edges, Appliques, Medallions, Drapery Nets, etc., and offer them at astonishingly low prices—for example:

25c and 35c Laces on Sale at, per yard..... 10c
40c and 50c Laces on Sale at, per yard..... 19c
75c and 85c Laces on Sale at, per yard..... 39c
\$1.25 and \$1.50 Laces on Sale at, per yard..... 75c

500 yards of real handmade Silk Cluny Lace, in black, white and colors—worth \$1.25 a yard—on sale at..... 49c

Drapery Nets for evening wear—in black, white, pink, blue, green, etc.—45 inches wide—a bargain at 50c a yard—for..... 19c

\$15.00 Silk Shirt-Waist Suits, \$7.50

A SHIPMENT of 300 of these beautiful silk costumes has been received and will go on sale Wednesday morning.

WE expect this lot will go as quickly as the previous ones, for the values are positively double. When you consider the quality of the taffeta used in the making of these garments, how well they are made and how stunning they look, you will appreciate the fact that \$15.00 is a conservative estimate of their worth.

MADE like illustration—of excellent quality taffeta, in the new changeable effects, black, blue and brown; also same colors with white hairline stripes.

The waists are finished down the front with neat 12-inch knife pleats, have fancy stock collars and ties, pleated back, full sleeves; skirts come in the seven-gore flare style, each gore finished with pleat and kilts. They are exceptionally pretty costumes and the selling price is extraordinarily low—\$7.50.



Pretty Cloaks for Children At a Third Below Their Value

A NEW YORK manufacturer got into financial straits and sacrificed about 500 of his best garments. This circumstance brings to you a splendid gathering of high class Walking Cloaks for children—ages 1 to 5 years—for a third less than regular. This offering coming on the threshold of the new season must be regarded as extraordinary. We mention two lots.

Children's \$4.50 Cloaks for \$2.98

Children's Walking Cloaks of Imported Zibeline, Habit Cloth and Velvet—box back—full sleeves—turnover cuffs—large round collars—trimmed with velvet bands, lace applique, fur and fancy silk braid—splendid values at \$4.50—at..... \$2.98

Children's \$5.95 Cloaks for \$3.95

Children's Walking Cloaks of fine all-wool Kersey, Zibeline and Venetian—Russian and box styles—full sleeves—turnover cuffs—fancy circular capes—handsomely trimmed with silk braid, velvet and fancy buttons—good values at \$5.95—at..... \$3.95

Great Dress Goods Sale

SEASON'S newest dress fabrics in black and colors—foreign and domestic weaves—in great variety—on sale at special low prices.

65c All-Wool French Challies, 49c

French Challies—every thread wool—printed on white and colored grounds—in stripes, small dots and Persian designs—30 inches wide—65c quality—Wednesday, yard..... 49c

CASHMERE—All wool, 44 inches wide—in dark brown, dark green and nile shades—75c quality—yard..... 39c

SCOTCH PLAIDS—Silk and wool—fancy combinations—splendid for skirts and children's wear—50c quality—yard..... 45c

TAILOR SUITING—Manish effects—almost invisible check—46 inches wide—90c quality—yard..... 69c

WHIPCORDS—All wool—tans, grays, slate, cadet, brown mixed effects—44 inches wide—\$1.25 grade—yard..... 75c

BLACK GERMAN BROAD-CLOTH—Sponged and shrunk ready for use—44 inches wide—\$1.50 quality—yard..... 98c

SCOTCH MIXTURES—in gray, blue and tan, over-shot with colored flares, stripes and checked effects—styling for coat suits—44 inches wide—\$2.50 grade—yard..... 98c

\$2.95 (Third Floor.)

Patent Slicers

ONE of the greatest aids in the kitchen. A patent fruit and vegetable slicer, like illustration—slices in fancy perforated and plain fluting pieces—will also make shoe-string potatoes—operates easily and without any danger to the user. They are demonstrated at the World's Fair and sold there at 50c—our price Wednesday..... 25c (Fourth Floor.)

\$2.00 to \$3.00 White Waists for \$1.00

IF YOU will buy Summer Waists Wednesday you will get them at a half to a fifth the former prices—about 25 dozen left—materials are best quality white lawns—all handsomely trimmed—they sold earlier in the season at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00—choice..... \$1.00

Lace Curtains, Etc. Unusual Price Advantages

ANOTHER lot of those Ruffled Muslin Curtains on sale Wednesday—with extra full hemstitched ruffles—in bow knot, fleur-de-lis, striped and coin spot designs—worth \$2.00 a pair—special Wednesday..... 95c

NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS—52 inches wide—34 yards long—copies of Brussels and Irish Point curtains—worth \$2.00 a pair—at..... \$1.75

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS—52 inches wide—34 yards long—Scotch lace designs—worth \$2.00 a pair—at..... \$1.19

FRENCH SATIN LAMBEQUIN DRAPES for mantels or planes—nicely fringed—several beautiful designs—worth 98c—at..... 69c

COTTAGE ROSES—4 feet long—white pole with white trimmings—worth 15c each—at..... 10c

REMAINDERS OF FIGURED SILK—OLIVE—36 inches wide—worth 15c a yard—at..... 5c

SASH CURTAIN MUSLIN—Double width—several good patterns—worth 15c a yard—at..... 7c

ROPE VALANCES for single doors—of extra heavy chenille cord—nice overdrapes—many color combinations—\$1.75 and \$2.00 values—at..... \$1.19

ORIENTAL COTTON CLOTH—Fringed all round—worth \$1.29—at..... 93c

Women's Fall Shoes

SPECIAL for Wednesday—well button and lace boots, patent kid, patent cloth and fine vic kid—heavy and light soles—27 new Fall styles—sizes 2 to 9—values at..... \$2.00



Boys' \$4.00 Suits Wednesday, \$2.95

SERVICEABLE and nice appearing garments for boys—ages 3 to 16 years—made of excellent quality Scotch Cassimeres and Tweeds—in the Norfolk and double-breasted styles—every seam strongly sewed—thoroughly well fashioned—perfect in fit—garments that sell in a regular way for \$4.00—on special sale Wednesday at..... \$2.95



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MAN RESCUED AT QUARRY'S BRINK

Edward Burkoff Stopped When About to Plunge 60 Feet Into Rocky Pit.

Edward Burkoff, aged 34, who resides with his mother at 639 North Broadway, was saved from imminent death Monday night when he was jerked away from the edge of a quarry 60 feet deep by William Bennett, 202 North Eleventh street.

Burkoff had wandered to the edge of the quarry, at the southwest corner of Penrose street and Blair avenue. He removed his coat and hat, laid them on the ground and was walking swiftly to the edge of the quarry when he was seized by Bennett.

The man was taken to the North End Dispensary and was removed later to the Emergency Hospital, where he is held for observation.

Woman's Nightmare

The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

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WIFE ASKS PERMISSION TO ARM HER BROTHER AGAINST HER HUSBAND

Police Assure Woman That They Will Arrest Man if He Annoys Her.

Because she fears her husband, who has followed her from Versailles, O., Mrs. Mary E. Carson, who is stopping with her brother, George Polkinghorne, at 4014 Cosens avenue, has asked the police to permit her brother to carry a revolver with which to kill her husband in the event he makes any attempt to carry out his alleged threats.

Permission to equip her brother with a weapon was denied Mrs. Carson, but the police assured her that her husband would be arrested if he appeared to annoy her.

The husband's name is Lawrence Aaron Carson. His stopping place in St. Louis is unknown to his wife.

After seven years of unhappy married life, Mrs. Carson left her husband in Versailles, O., and came to live with her brother in St. Louis. She came to St. Louis eight months ago, intending to remain one year in order to establish a residence before beginning divorce proceedings.

Carson heard of his wife's intention to apply for a legal separation and followed her to St. Louis, she says, in an effort to effect a reconciliation. He went to the home of his brother-in-law, Fred Polkinghorne, at 2019 Franklin avenue, and asked for his wife's St. Louis address. The brother refused to tell him, and since then Carson has made repeated efforts to find his wife.

To the police Mrs. Carson stated that she had been told by friends that her husband had threatened her. She said she was in constant fear and was afraid to leave her brother's home.



Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carson.

WOMEN TO SPEAK BEFORE SAVANTS

Will Deliver Addresses at International Congress of Arts and Sciences Now in Session.

Four women, delegates to the International Congress of Arts and Sciences, which began the second session of its convention at the World's Fair Tuesday, are scheduled to deliver addresses before the congress. They are: Miss Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago, who will speak on "Municipal Administration" Saturday afternoon; Mrs. C. Ladd Franklin of Baltimore, who will address the congress on "Logic and General Psychology"; Miss Alice C. Fletcher, president of the Washington Anthropological Society, who is on the program as chairman of the ethnology department; and Prof. Mary W. Calkins of Wellesley College, who is one of the speakers on "Comparative and Genetic Psychology."

In the second session of the congress Tuesday seven divisions were represented and those scheduled to speak and their subjects were: Prof. Josiah Royce, Harvard University, "Normative Science"; President Woodrow Wilson, Princeton University, "Historical Science"; Prof. Robert S. Woodward, Columbia University, "Physical Science"; Prof. G. Stanley Hall, Clark University, "Mental Science"; Prof. David Starr Jordan, Leland Stanford University, "Utilitarian Sciences"; Prof. Abbott L. Lowell, Harvard University, "Social Regulation"; William T. Harris, United States commissioner of education, "Social Culture."

GAMBLERS BEAT YOUNG MAN.

World's Fair Visitor Reports Brutal Attack on River Steamer.

J. H. Spencer, a World's Fair visitor from Chicago, reports a robbery and an attack upon two passengers which occurred on the steamer City of Providence Monday afternoon. The specter policeman stationed on the boat, Mr. Spencer says, stood by and silently allowed the cappers and gamblers to beat two men. According to Spencer's story, the trouble began when a young man attempted to induce an older one to come away from the spindle. The old man had just made a few bets and was winning. He thought, when the young man attempted to lead him away, saying that the game was crooked. The gamblers and "cappers" became enraged when they saw their victim leaving the table and all of them set upon the young man. When the boat returned to St. Louis both of the men returned to the police, but no arrests were made.

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Soft lustrous Silks, 19 inches wide, in every color, regular 50c grade, this Wednesday, 19c

SHIRT-WAIST SUIT SILKS
In all the newest colors, in dots, figures and changeable effects; elegant quality of fabric; regular price \$50 and 1.00; this Wednesday, 49c

BED SHEETS
Bleached Linen-finished Bed Sheets, size 18x36; regular 65c quality; this Wednesday, 44c
Per dozen \$5.00

ZEPHYR DRESS GINGHAMS
In beautiful choice styles, in stripes and checks; regular 12c quality; this Wednesday, 5c

HEMMED HUCK TOWELS
Linen-finished hemmed Huck Towels, regular size 18x36; regular 15c a kind; this Wednesday, 9c
Per dozen \$1.00

BIG SHOE SALE

La Pella Shoe Co.'s Stock sold at Auction! Eleventh and Washington Av.

On sale at the Globe at 40c on the dollar and 50c on the dollar. HEART AND ARROW BRAND SHOES almost given away.

Babies' Soft-Soled Shoes at 2c

Ladies' 2.00 Low Shoes and Strap Slippers—military heels—at 79c

Ladies' 1.50 Lace Shoes—patent tips—honey soles—at 89c

Children's 1.25 Black and Lace Shoes—at 49c

Misses' and Children's 1.50 Lace Shoes—heavy soles patent leather tips—at 89c



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3.95 for 7.00 Norfolk Jackets!

At 8 a. m. tomorrow we place on sale 250 LADIES' NORFOLK JACKETS, in the new fancy all-wool mixtures and covert cloth—beautifully made and trimmed—they're 7.00 value—Wednesday, while they last—come early—at **3.95**

NEW FALL BRILLIANTINE SHIRTWAISTS—Pull pleated blouse, stock collar, embroidered front; come in all shades—2.50 value—Wednesday, only **1.49**

NEW FALL SILK UNDERSKIRTS—All the new changeable shades of taffeta, with corded flounce, silk dust ruffle—Broadway price 6.00—our price **3.95**

LADIES' TOURIST SUITS—Made of those popular mannish cloths, in brown, blue, gray and black mixtures, the long loose belted back coats, some trimmed with braid, coats lined throughout, skirt side-pleated—Wednesday, 15.00 suits **9.95**

NEW FALL SILK SHIRT-WAIST SUITS—Made of elegant quality chambray taffeta with side-pleated skirt, full pleated blouse effects, with collar and belt to match—Broadway price 18.00—our price **11.95**

MISSES' NORFOLK SUITS—They come in all-wool fancy mixtures, straps of same material, trimmed with velvet buttons—8.00 suits—Wednesday at **4.95**

NEW FALL WAISTS—Peau de Soie Silk Waists, in pink, blue, black and brown, full blouse effects, beautifully tucked and hemmed—Broadway price 5.00—our price **2.98**

MEN'S SUITS AND TOP COATS Beautiful all-wool plain and fancy Scotch and cassimeres—choice of 15 styles from the 12.50 stocks—special tomorrow—don't miss 'em **7.50**

1.75 FOR BOYS' 3.50 SUITS! Boys' 5.00 Suits, including "Buster Browns"—Wednesday, **3.95**

Boys' Beautiful 10.00 Imported Tweed Suits—finest in St. Louis—Wednesday, special **6.45**

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NAVAL SHOW WEST END OF PIKE

BABY INCUBATORS ON THE PIKE

HAGENBECK'S JERUSALEM The Price of the Fair and the Fair's Greatest Attraction. Festival Parade Daily at 8:00 O'Clock. See the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, Mosques of Omar, Suleiman and the Mount of Olives, the Jewish Wall, and the Via Dolorosa. Free Guides every 15 minutes from principal gates.

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UNDER THE DIRECTION OF FRANK E. FILLIS. GENERALS VILJOEN AND CRONJE, 700 BOER AND BRITISH VETERANS, reproducing 3 Famous Battles of the late Anglo-Boer War.

See the grand illuminated scene, the flash of the guns, the Paardeburg explosion, and the wonderful night effects. **TWICE DAILY: 3:30 and 7:30** SATURDAYS: 1:30, 3:30 and 7:30. **ADMISSION:** Grand Stand 50c, Specially Selected Seats 75c, Box Seats \$1

Special Charity Performance Thursday, Sept. 22, at 1 P. M. Entire proceeds of which will be sent through Gov. Francis for distribution among destitute families in N. Transvaal.

KEYES-MARSHALL BROS. AUTOMOBILE LINE Automobiles leave Plaza in front of Jefferson Hotel, 12th and Locust streets, daily. "A RIDE" that affords passengers the opportunity of seeing the most beautiful residence districts. The ONLY LINE that terminates at main entrance of the World's Fair grounds. Leaving at: 8:00 9:00 10:00 A. M. 1:00 2:00 3:00 4:00 P. M. Leaving main entrance of the World's Fair grounds: 8:30 9:30 10:30 A. M. 1:30 2:30 3:30 4:30 P. M. Round Trip \$1.00. Sundays—Seeing St. Louis—3 hours' ride—Leaving at 10 A. M. 5 P. M. 8 P. M.

CENTURY THEATER. FOR THIS WEEK ONLY. MAT. TOMORROW. The Grand Management Presents **RICHARD CARLE** IN **The Tenderfoot** With a Great Musical Organization.

NEXT SUNDAY NIGHT Henry W. Savage Offers George Ade's Successful Musical Satire, **THE SULTAN OF SULU** Music by Alfred G. Wathall. Seats Ready Thursday Morning.

SEE ST. LOUIS. 25-MILE AUTOMOBILE TOUR. Leaves Sixth and Olive Sts. daily at 10 a. m., 1:30 and 4 p. m. Fare \$1.50 round trip. **AMERICAN AUTO TRANSIT CO.**

RACING

DELMAR JOCKEY CLUB. Six Races Daily, Beginning 2:30 p. m. Admission (Including Grand Stand) \$1.00. Boulevard Handicap, Saturday, September 24.

BASEBALL TODAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK, Grand and Sullivan Aves. **BROWNS VS. CLEVELAND** 2 Games for 2 One Admission. First Game Starts at 3 P. M.

Meadow Gold Butter

Always the Same

You can spread it on thin; you can spread it on thick—just suit your taste—it's always the same. Meadow Gold Butter is dependable and dainty, fresh and always sweet in flavor; kept so by the airtight, odor-proof package. Ask your dealer for it.

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GRIFFIN EXCURSION. ARCADIA, MO.

Sunday, Sept. 25, 1904. \$1.25 Round Trip, \$1.25

Stopping at Blumack, Iron Mountain, Middlebrook, Flint Knob and Iron in both directions. Train leaves Union Station 9:30 a. m. Returning arrives at St. Louis 10:00 p. m. Tickets, Sixth and Olive streets and excursion agents Union Station and Tower Grove station.

REGAL NO MONEY TILL CURED DISEASES Send for Free 212-Page Book on PILES, Etc. Examining Free. DR. THORNTON & MINOR, 209 Olive St., St. Louis.

Popular Sunday Excursion VIA B. & O. S-W.

(Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern R. R.) **NEXT SUNDAY, September 25th.** Trains Leave Union Station 8:10 A. M. **VINCENNES, IND.,** and intermediate stations.

TICKET OFFICES: Olive and Sixth, Union Station and Transportation Building, World's Fair Grounds.

POND'S EXTRACT CURES Cures, for all, Brains, cuts, sprains, rheumatism, scalds, burns, bites, all diseases.

BIG BATTLESHIP IS CLOSELY GUARDED

Navy Yard Officers Take Unusual Precautions to Protect the Connecticut Pending Launching.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The big battleship Connecticut, which is to be launched on Sept. 29 at the Brooklyn navy yard, was placed under a strong guard last night. Two squads of marines and four watchmen marched to the cradle where the big battleship is building and were instructed to permit nobody to approach the hull of the vessel between 6 o'clock last night and 8 o'clock this morning.

The big battleship was also strung with electric lights from prow to stern. The lights glowed all over the ship. The ways on which the ship rests are all oiled and greased for the launching and it was feared, should any of the blocks which support her

be disturbed, the big vessel might slide into the water and be seriously damaged. The guards who protected her were fully armed and were ordered to shoot any person who, after being challenged, persisted in going toward the big ship.

Because of the stringent orders, it was said at the yard that the authorities had been informed that some malicious persons would attempt to damage the Connecticut. This was denied at the yard, the officers declaring that the guard was placed about the new battleship simply as a general precaution.

Until the day of launching the Connecticut will be guarded by the marines at night and by four watchmen during the day. In the daytime, the watchmen will allow none but accredited shipwrights to go beneath the vessel.

Suburban Railway Employees' Picnic.

The management of the Suburban Garden have generously donated their famous resort to the R. R. employees on Thursday, Sept. 22, 1904, for a complimentary picnic and dance.

Steel Billet Prices Fixed.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 20.—The Steel Billet Association met here and after discussing trade conditions in all of its phases, decided to make cuts in the prices of its products as follows: Steel billets from \$23 to \$19.50 for 144 and all sizes over. Sheets, bars and small billets from \$24 to \$21.50. Finished bars from \$13.50 to \$13.90 per 100 pounds, or from \$27 to \$28 a ton.

WEALTHY WOMAN HELD AS LUNATIC

Old-Fashioned Clothes Caused Suspicion and Reciting List of Property Settled It.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Miss Sarah J. Kittle is so rich that she can afford to disregard the latest styles. She was walking through Hicks street on Sunday near the State Hospital, where the harmless patients were enjoying a day of comparative liberty and were amusing themselves on the hospital grounds. A girl noticed Miss Kittle's old-fashioned clothes and said: "Shouldn't you be going toward the hospital instead of away from it?" "Child, you should respect your elders," replied Miss Kittle with dignity. The girl seized Miss Kittle's coat and called for help. She hastily explained to a man who responded that an inmate had escaped from the hospital, and he held

Miss Kittle while the girl went to telephone to the keepers. In vain Miss Kittle remonstrated. "I'm Sarah Kittle," she exclaimed. "I'm one in Utica knows me. Why I own—"

She ran over her real estate holdings which dot the city as the Astor properties in New York.

"Oh, yes, I know," was the stolid answer, "all you lunatics think yourselves wealthy or that you're queens or great actresses or something like that."

A crowd soon surrounded Miss Kittle and her captor, the angrier, the more he was surprised that he should restrain her. An hour passed, two men in authority at the asylum arrived.

"She's not a patient," they said. Humblest apologies were offered to Miss Kittle, but she, rightly indignant, refused to accept them.

Hamilton Hotel Roof Garden.

Admission complimentary. Grand view of World's Fair Illumination. Waldorf Orchestra. Take Suburban, Page or Easton avenue cars direct. Dinner, 6 to 12 p. m.

Yates Appoints Henry Davis.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 20.—Col. Henry Davis of Springfield was named by Gov. Yates as the minority member of the board of trustees of the St. Charles State Home for Boys, succeeding J. Stanley Browne, resigned to accept a membership on the Pontiac reformatory board.

BEING AMERICAN HIS SOLE CRIME

Turks Threw Former Sailor of U. S. S. Pensacola Into Prison for Flying Our Flag.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The Sultan of Turkey will have to do a lot of explaining or pay damages to Constantinople, an American citizen, who was abused for raising the American flag on the Fourth of July.

Kazako fled from Turkey to avoid being thrown into prison and otherwise mistreated. He arrived here a few days ago on the British steamship Crossways, upon which he had worked his passage to and from Hull, England. He told his story to the officers of the Legal Aid Society, in Whitehall street, and they have prepared in affidavit form and sent it to the department of state at Washington.

Kazako was born of Greek parents in Asiatic Turkey 54 years ago. He came to this country more than 20 years ago. He served as an able seaman aboard the Pensacola from 1881 to 1884 and in other ships of our navy for five years more. He took out his final naturalization papers in the United States Court in this city on April 7, 1889.

Kazako returned to his native land in 1890, married and opened a restaurant at Geonia, near the City of Ararat. Recently he moved to Artosa, a town about 30 miles from Constantinople. Every since his return Kazako has paid—under protest—an annual poll tax of \$7.50, besides regular taxes on his real estate and business. To celebrate properly the Fourth of July, 1902, Kazako raised the American flag on his housepost, flanked on each side by the flags of Turkey and of Greece. The governor of Artosa sent two soldiers and a priest to haul down and burn the American flag.

Mrs. Kazako saw them coming and hid the flag. The governor of Artosa threw Kazako into prison and took away his American transports and traveling passes. The governor presently was graciously pleased to accept a bribe of \$5 and let Kazako go.

"Four men who told me they were officers of the Turkish government," Kazako said, "called at my house last July and informed me that I must take out papers

renewing allegiance to the Turkish government. I said: 'No! I am an American citizen.' They said: 'If you don't do what we say you will be punished.' "The British Consul at Pandemonia gave me a pass to Constantinople, and there I applied to the American representative for protection. He said: 'I can do nothing for you.' I then came here."

Asthma Can Be Cured

The statement of Mr. J. F. Homan, 30 E. Adams St., Chicago, proves that the worst cases of Asthma in the world are not only relieved, but are readily cured by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure. He says: "Asthma kept me in terrible misery for ten years until I used your Asthma Cure. After the first trial I was a changed man. I went to sleep that night and awoke next day much relieved and I have gotten entirely over the Asthma. It is now nine years since I was cured."

Sent by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Send 2c stamp to Dr. R. Schiffmann, Box 804 St. Paul, Minn., for a free trial package.

75c Black Cheviot for 48c

Our Black Dress Goods section has a splendid bargain treat in waiting for Wednesday's shoppers—we offer 52-inch all-wool black Cheviot—a rich black, medium-weight fabric that will give unbounded satisfaction to the wearer—as a very extraordinary special for Wednesday only we will sell a regular 75c quality—at yard.....

48c

50-INCH BLACK SICILIAN—Good black—rich lustrous finish—would be considered cheap at 75c—special for Wednesday only at yard.....

59c

56-INCH BLACK THIBET SKIRTING—Requires no lining—our regular \$1.00 quality—Wednesday special at yard.....

67c

38-INCH FLAKE AND TWO-TONED ZIBELIA—All-wool—new fall colorings—68c value—special for Wednesday at yard.....

49c

WHITE AND COLORED BED SPREADS.

\$1.25 to \$1.50 Values, Wednesday, 98c.

Colored Mitchelline, large-size spreads, with fringe—either pink or blue—white crocheted spreads, large size, plain with finished edge—also white crocheted spreads—large size—heavy knotted fringe and Marseilles patterns—spreads worth \$1.25 and \$1.50—Wednesday, choice of these three styles for.....

98c

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS.

\$1.50 Quality for 89c.

You'll soon require heavier undergarments—better come Wednesday and profit by the value—Women's Union Suits—made of very excellent merino yarn—Jersey ribbed—button down front—splendidly finished—regular \$1.50 value—Wednesday special for.....

89c

Famous Purchased 2500 Pairs of Shoes

At the auction sale of the La Prolle Shoe Co. and saved about a third off the usual price. This big wholesale shoe house—makers of high-grade footwear—is retiring from business. We selected their better qualities—shoes such as we can absolutely recommend and guarantee to our patrons, and offer them to you Wednesday at the same percentage of saving we enjoyed.

Women's \$3.50 Shoes, \$2.25
La Prolle Shoe Co.'s finest vic' kid lace boots—patent leather tips—Goodyear welt—fox-high arch—last—spike leather heels—regular \$3.50 shoes—Wednesday, choice for.....

2.25

Men's \$3.00 Shoes, \$2.15
La Prolle Shoe Co.'s splendid box or velour calf and patent colt shoes for men—all Goodyear welts—tip and plain toes—single and double soles—good, sturdy \$3.00 shoes—Wednesday at Famous, choice for.....

2.15

Misses' \$1.75 Shoes, \$1.20
La Prolle Shoe Co.'s Misses' and Women's Dongola Lace Shoes—close and extension soles—stock tips—"Companion" brand—sizes 12 to 2 and 2½ to 6—regular \$1.75 shoes—Wednesday at Famous, choice for.....

1.20

Children's \$1.50 Shoes, 95c
La Prolle Shoe Co.'s best Dongola Lace Shoes—close and extension soles—stock tips—"Companion" brand—sizes 5 to 10½—regular \$1.50 values—Wednesday at Famous, special at.....

95c

Children's \$1.25 Shoes, 75c
La Prolle Shoe Co.'s Vic' Kid Button Shoes—hand-turned—kid tips—spring heels—sizes 5 to 8—regular \$1.25 values—Wednesday at Famous, special at.....

75c

Famous

BROADWAY & MORGAN

WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

Cotton and Flannel

8c and 10c Grades for 5c Yard.

There should be the liveliest sort of selling Wednesday in our Domestic aisle with this exceptional special as the attraction. Unbleached Canton Flannel, twill back and heavy fleece, also Cream Shaker Flannel, with heavy fleece—two large cases of five to fifteen-yard lengths—worth 8c and 10c yard—Wednesday special, choice at.....

5c

75c APRON GINGHAM—Heavy count and weight—Amoskeag—in all size checks—at yard.....

5c

10c OUTING FLANNEL—Heavy—blue and pink—staple stripes and checks—at yard.....

6c

50c and 60c TABLE DAMASKS—Heavy unbleached Damask—extra weight—dye and fine mercerized damask—60c and 50c values—at yard.....

39c

CRASH TOWELING—Rus-sia Crash and oat meal mesh absorbent crash—worth 12½c yard—Wednesday, either at, yard.....

7c

12½c GERMAN BLUE PRINTS—Cadet and navy stripes only—slightly imperfect—yard.....

5c

Children's School Umbrellas.

Made of fast black twilled cloth—steel rods—strong frame—fancy and plain handles—good, practical school umbrellas for the youngsters—50c values—Wednesday special for.....

25c

MEN'S LINEN MESH UNDERWEAR.

\$1.00 Garments for 57c.

Men's linen extra fine mesh silk and lisle thread undershirts and drawers—shirts made with silk fronts—in the new fawn, light blue and ecru colors—these goods are medium weight and well adapted for early fall wear—regular \$1.00 quality—Wednesday only, special, per garment.....

57c

BOYS' SUITS.

\$6 and \$7 Values for \$3.95.

At this popular price tomorrow we offer hundreds of new fall styles in Boys' Suits—absolutely pure wool materials—reliable in make and perfect in fit and finish—double-breasted, Norfolk, 3-piece vest suits, sailor suits and Russian blouse suits—the newest colorings in the latest patterns—to fit all size boys from 3 to 16 years—suits that cannot be duplicated in St. Louis for less than \$6 to \$7—Wednesday special at Famous,

3.95

BOYS' 65c UNDERWEAR, 39c—Genuine "Wright's Health Underwear," wool fleeced, silk bound, all sizes 24 to 34—a splendid bargain—Wednesday, per garment.....

39c

BOYS' \$1.50 SWEATERS, 1.00—In all colors, close knit, pure wool, single or double neck, sizes 24 to 34—positively the best value ever offered for the money—Wednesday, at Famous.....

1.00

BOYS' 50c SHIRT-WAISTS, 35c—Laun-dered waists with attached collars and patent button belts—made from percales and chevrons—sizes 6 to 14 years—very good for school wear—Wednesday at Famous.....

35c

Women's Autumn Wearing Apparel

Defining the very newest conceptions of the fashion modelers—Wednesday at Famous at prices that should strike the responsive chord of every saving-inclined woman in St. Louis.

\$16.50 Raincoats, \$9.95
They're exceedingly stylish and very practical—made of thoroughly rain-proof Cravenette cloth with the fashionable box plaits over shoulder and down sleeves—belted back—full length—the correct fall shades—these coats are \$16.50 values—Wednesday only, very special, choice for.....

9.95

\$5.00 Silk Waists, \$2.95
The new box plaits and narrow pin tucks, also the new style broad plaited effects—in the latest fancy striped flannels, albatross and silk—all the correct brown, blue and pink stripes, also black—waists regularly worth \$5—Wednesday at Famous, special for.....

2.95

\$4.00 Golf Blouses, \$2.95
With wide roll turn-down collar—made of pure zephyr wool with big pearl buttons down front—full sleeves—white and red—quite the thing for the cooler days—\$4.00 value—Wednesday special at.....

2.95

\$15 Walking Suits, \$10.50
Made of strictly all-wool herringbone cheviot in the nobby walking coats and plaited skirts—also tourist coats with belted back—serviceable linings—fancy mixtures and the new blues, browns and blacks—regular \$15.00 values—Wednesday, very special, choice for.....

10.50

\$7.50 Coats for \$4.95
Women's jaunty Box Coats—made of service-giving covert and fancy cloths in just the correct weight and length for immediate wear—patch pockets—belt and man-tailored collar—all sizes—coats that would readily sell for \$7.50—Wednesday choice for.....

4.95

Women's \$1.00 Madras Waists, 59c
A medium-weight waist, splendidly desirable for immediate use—made of new fall madras waists—plain white—tucked front—large pearl buttons—full sleeves—very nobby effects—waists that are actually worth \$1—Wednesday choice for.....

59c

READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

\$3.00 Values for \$1.00.

A sale of unusual importance, inasmuch as it offers the very latest fall fashions at a half and third of their true value four tables full of new ready-to-wear Hats—in the latest shapes and colors—every one stylishly trimmed—all clean and perfect and made of scratch and plain felts—about 35 styles, but broken lines of one, two or three of a kind—the fact that these were the first lines to become broken speaks for their popularity and correctness—regular \$2 and \$3 values—Wednesday only—while they last, choice for.....

1.00

Drawn Work Center Pieces and Scarfs

Worth up to 89c, for 39c

Thirty-four dozen assorted styles of hemstitched Linen Center-pieces and Scarfs and Squares—Scarfs are 20x36, 20 20x54 inches in size—Squares ranging from 15 to 20 inches—beautiful drawn-work effects and spoke-stitched edges—worth up to 89c—Wednesday, while they last, choice for.....

39c

CORSET COVER EMBROIDERIES

45c to 59c values for 25c

Seventy-five pieces of 18-inch Corset Cover Embroideries—wide, showy and effective patterns—qualities retailed elsewhere from 45c to 59c—Wednesday at Famous, choice at, yard.....

25c

Special Palm Sale!

Commencing Wednesday Morning, 9 A. M.

\$5,000 Worth of the Finest Natural Palms of all Varieties have been consigned to us and must be disposed of within six days at these ridiculous prices.

Lot No. 1, 4 to 6 Leaves, 24 inches high, - - \$0.50
Lot No. 2, 4 to 7 Leaves, 36 inches high, - - 1.10
Lot No. 3, 5 to 9 Leaves, 40 inches high, - - 1.55
Lot No. 4, Fine, large, bushy plants 12 to 20 leaves, worth at other stores \$8.00—our price.....

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These Plants are all in Fine, Healthy Condition

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This includes a thorough test of both eyes by our expert optician, Dr. H. Frohoff. We use only the finest crystal lenses, and are giving you the very same glasses that you would pay \$5.00 to \$10 anywhere else for. We do this simply to get you better acquainted with our optical department, and extend the time this week to accommodate the many we could not wait on last week. The crowd simply swamped us. If you can not come during the day, come Sunday morning or Monday and Saturday nights.

Be Sure and Bring This Coupon. You can not get them without it.

Our new mail order catalogue is now out. Send in your name on postal card for it. Remember, we have the largest mail order drug house in the West.

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Made from the very best rubber, ribbed and reinforced—around three hard rubber pipes and worth easily \$1.25—all three quarters.....

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50c

WALTEK'S FOREST BOUQUET SOAP—A big, economical cake of Soap, "nicely" perfumed, and weighs nearly half a pound.....

25c

RUBBER GLOVES—Made in one piece from pure rubber, find the kind you pay \$1.25 for—Special.....

69c

PERFUMES—The full line of "Mellie's," "Imperial Crown" and "Santal" brand—this price you do not get every day—Special, per ounce.....

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Cigar Bargains.

"EL EMILIO"—This is the best cigar bargain ever offered in St. Louis. The large 6½-inch, 2-for-25c size. Made from genuine imported Mexican tobacco. Appeals to the fine, clear Havana and imported cigar smokers.

NOTE THE PRICE:

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"JOHN HANCOCK"—The popular 5c cigar, 2 for 9c.....

\$1.25

"MEYERBER"—A splendid club-house 5c cigar, 3 for 16c 8 for 35c.....

\$1.50

THE "JOHNSON"—The only genuine 10c cigar sold in St. Louis.....

5c

Box of 25, \$1.25; box of 50, \$2.50. Cigars by mail, 12c box extra.

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Biggest West of the Mississippi.

No St. Louisian will complain if Chicago day, Oct. 8, beats the St. Louis day record.

Kuroki's whereabouts is becoming a mystery as baffling as Tascotti's or Pat Crowe's.

Three more opportunities to register—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Do it now.

The proposition that the city of St. Louis can't do business without Ed Butler's consent must never be accepted.

THE REAL TARIFF ISSUE.

The facts presented in the Post-Dispatch on the subject of the prohibitive tariff and the abolition of fair trade are very suggestive. They point to the increasing tendency under the Republican laws, toward the organization of great monopolistic combinations for the control of industries, the prime object being the squeezing of the largest possible profits out of the people.

Up to June of this year 296 tariff-fostered trusts were formed, to control 3426 industrial plants, which were at one time under the control of different managements in different parts of the country. These monopolistic combinations were made possible by high tariffs, which turned over to them the local markets, that is to say, the consumers of the United States, whom they charged monopolistic prices. Freed from all outside competition by a prohibitive tariff, they gain the control of home industries and charge the American people what they please. Enriched by excessive profits in the home market, they give foreigners the benefit of low prices. They thus concentrate the wealth of the country in the hands of the few and oppress the many by high, artificial prices for commodities.

These facts constitute the condemnation of Republican policies. The attack in the courts on one or two exceptionally great combinations, such as the Northern Securities merger, does not compare in vital importance with the steady growth of monopolies fostered by high tariffs. Under the Republican tariffs there is an opportunity for monopolistic combinations, and the opportunity inevitably creates the tendency, which has resulted in a tremendous growth of monopoly.

It would be bad enough if the effect of these rapidly increasing monopolies were the plundering of the people through monopoly prices; but worse than this, in order to maintain their advantages, they seek to control the government. That they have succeeded in controlling the government under Republican administrations is manifest from the fact that monopoly tariffs have been increased, and that the Republican party insists now that the tariff shall be revised only by "its friends," that is to say, by those who have raised it to the highest point for the benefit of monopolized industries and who, despite the proof of their oppression, maintain the high tariffs and divert the public mind from the real issue by occasional attacks on a few conspicuous violators of antitrust laws.

Mr. Roosevelt points with pride to a few legislative half-way measures and to one successful prosecution in the courts, but carefully avoids the development of hundreds of tariff-fostered monopolies, controlling thousands of industrial plants, which have killed competition and are fattening with undreamed of riches a few magnates at the expense of the plain people.

This is the real tariff and trust issue. It involves a fight against monopoly-sheltering tariffs, a fight which ought to be inaugurated at once and maintained until we have an administration, with majorities in both houses of Congress, which will revise the tariff in the interest of the people, not of its beneficiaries.

St. Louis is highly honored by the convention here of the International Congress of Arts and Sciences, comprising representatives of every important branch of human thought and effort in art and science. It is a unique and distinguished gathering, more comprehensive and brilliant than any heretofore held in any part of the world. For the first time these men, who stand for all that is best in human progress, apart from considerations of wealth or status, have met at the greatest international exhibition ever created. Much good should result from such an event. It marks a new era in the history of St. Louis and of the world at large.

NO MORE EMERGENCY CONTRACTS.

It is gratifying to hear that the mayor and Board of Public Improvements are looking for a way of escape from another emergency garbage contract.

The combines formed from time to time to plunder the public would not hold together a day if it were understood that they would break themselves against the determined honesty of the mayor and executive boards, and the attempt now making to hand the city over to Ed Butler in the garbage matter can be defeated by simply not yielding to it.

Anything is better than another emergency contract. It is more than a question of garbage reduction. The question is: Shall Ed Butler run the city in opposition to the will of the people, or shall honest government be courageous enough to give effect to the public will.

St. Louis has given the world the greatest show on earth. It deserves the greatest attendance.

GIVE THE AERONAUTS TIME.

With the termination of the period set for competing for the grand prizes for the most successful airships, the World's Fair will lose what ought to be one of its best attractions. Ann unless one of the few contestants now on the ground shall win, in the 11 days now remaining for the contest, as originally

fixed, the aeronauts will lose an opportunity which should act as a powerful stimulus to their skill and enterprise. The time should be extended at least another month. We may have weather suitable for aeronautic contests for several weeks, and at all events there will be many favorable days for such contests before the Fair closes.

The Fair management and the aeronauts owe this to the public, because there will be widespread disappointment if this much-heralded air contest comes to nothing.

The outrage at the polling place on Fourteenth street which resulted in the death of Frederick E. Scheel should not be permitted to drop out of public view until it has been thoroughly investigated by the criminal court and full justice done. The police must see to it that every man connected with it is brought into court and his connection with the outrage shown. Arrest and try all who were in any way responsible for this killing. Punish the guilty. Chief of Police Kiely pledged himself that he would put down all disorder at the polling places. Here is the opportunity for him to redeem his pledge. Now is the time to make such an example, that the disorderly element will not dare to commit further outrages at the polls.

A SPELLBINDER'S CONFESSION.

President Roosevelt and his spellbinders should get together and agree on spells of eloquence and wisdom before they are turned loose on the public.

In his Saturday night speech Secretary Shaw said: "We have the islands (Philippines). I'm not going to say what we are going to do with them; I wish we knew."

But Mr. Roosevelt assured the country that "we" knew what to do in all public situations and that we proposed to do it. The Republican party was sure of itself; the party always knew what was going to be done, etc.

But here is a spellbinder of cabinet rank who says: "We don't know; I wish we knew."

If they don't know what they are going to do with the Philippines, let them study the principles of American liberty and the precedents of American history and find out.

These were applied to Cuba. Why should they not apply to the Philippines? Are the Filipinos to be held in bondage forever or are they to be allowed to look forward to liberty and national independence?

Mr. Shaw makes a sorry confession of political imbecility when he admits he and his fellow Republicans have no Philippine program reaching beyond the immediate needs of the day. A party which bids for public confidence must have some definite program to offer.

Spellbinding of this sort may contribute to the gaiety of the campaign, but does not seem a very powerful charm.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

HOLIDAY FOR POLICEMEN.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I see by the morning papers that a portion of the police force had to work from 7 a. m. until 11 p. m. St. Louis Day. I am a non-resident, but believe in fair play. Other employees get a holiday, and I understand the police haven't had any holiday since the beginning of the World's Fair, but have been required to do extra duty. Why could it not be so arranged that they could get off in squads, say for five or six days, in order to see the Fair? They have certainly earned it.

I think if the papers would take this matter up it could be brought about, and I believe the Post-Dispatch is the paper to start it, as it is always foremost in standing up for right and justice.

DOES MORGAN CONTROL?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
This coming from a poor workman, possibly will not have much weight. At any rate, I give the publisher of the Post-Dispatch credit for trying to solve one of the most important political questions to date. Did our benefactor, Mr. Morgan, visit the President of the United States at Oyster Bay? If he did, he had a reason for the visit. If he did not, he has a reason for keeping silent. It is a question of principle: does Morgan hold the key to the political situation? I, for one, will vote for the best man, regardless of his politics. Roosevelt will be elected. Will you kindly print this for the benefit of others in my class?

ABOLISH GRADE CROSSINGS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
I thoroughly agree with "Flip" in his statement that "the only remedy for the frequent horrors attending grade crossings is either bridges or tunnels; and the sooner their establishment is insisted upon the quicker these frightful accidents will be eliminated. Whether the stockholders of the Burlington and Transit lines will willingly relinquish the generous dividends paid upon their watered stock is a question. Possibly some action might be taken after their next dividends.

CELEBRATE CLEARING OF CITY WATER.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
If there is one day during the Exposition that has not been allotted for some special feature, I would suggest a "Water Day" in honor of the men who accomplished the noble task of clearing the city of water. They have performed a great work, that has had poor acknowledgment from either our citizens or the Fair officials. I would suggest that the clearing of the city of water be celebrated, that they may be honored by the Fair officials and by the citizens. To wash five quarters of mud out of four quarts of water is not a small accomplishment, but our St. Louis water department has done it, and they are deserving of every honor we can bestow. I would suggest some dry day where water would do the most good. Let the fountains squirt up higher, the roadways be sprinkled, water to drink be free, the Cascades flow a little longer, and would not you further suggestions for the day that would make it a real show.

ETIQUETTE AT CONCERTS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
People attending concerts should observe the following: Don't talk when the band is playing; don't hum the tune; don't whistle. The band plays much better than you can hum or whistle. Most persons prefer to hear the music rather than their own talk.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS.

Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No bets decided. Don't sign "Subscriber" or "Constant Reader." One initial is enough. Address, "Post-Dispatch, City."

Q.—Care of Journal, New York.
A.—Write Baltimore American.

Q.—Bluebeard, Century, November, 1903.
A.—Japanese Fair commissioner, S. Tzengiro.

Q.—The State Reform School is at Bonville.
A.—Colorado secretary of state, James Cowie.

Q.—Your question was answered last week.
A.—C. METALLURG.—Accent on first syllable.

Q.—Talcum powder will not injure a pimples face.
A.—Y. Z.—Write W. M. Reedy, The Mirror, as to V. P. Ball.

Q.—AND K.—Pronounce Philippines Phil-ipp-ens, accenting first syllable.

Q.—The best state building at the Fair (Missouri) cost \$1,000,000.

Q.—We know nothing of engraved tablets with names of committee of 200.

Q.—KUROPATKIN.—D. C. means District of Columbia. It is the district in which Washington is located.

Q.—A young lady may very properly wear a large, heavy chain holding a heavy locket, the chain being an heirloom.

Q.—ADAM HOPKINS.—We have not the lobster laws at hand. In Massachusetts the minimum saleable limit is 1 1/2 inches.

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MEATLESS DINNERS.

Excellent Menus in Which Vegetable Dishes Only Appear.

Meatless dinners are more popular than one might think. During the meat strike they obtained a certain vogue through seeming necessity, and they proved so satisfactory that many people are sticking to them. The fashion, so common among southerners, of serving vegetables and salads is also being extended by families who have found out that they can easily get along without eating meat. It is possible to prepare a score of good meatless bills of fare, but the two we give will suffice.

Here's one bill of fare for a dinner without meat:

Food Tomatoes.
Boiled Rice.
Carrots and Celery.
Edam Cheese.
Fruit.
Lettuce Salad.
Toasted Wafers.
Apple & Gooseberry Pie.
Coffee.

The carrot dish is cooked according to a new recipe, which runs as follows: Scrape the carrots and cut them into little balls with a vegetable cutter. Cook them in slightly salted water until tender. Have ready an equal quantity of cooked celery cut in small pieces. Drain the vegetables as dry as possible, then mix them. Add one cupful hot milk and one tablespoonful each of butter and four mixed spoonsful of cream. Season lightly with salt, pepper and a very little nutmeg. Let boil for five minutes, stirring constantly, then serve. This dish should be served frequently where there are nervous, irritable persons, both vegetables being excellent for such trouble.

Another meatless menu runs thus:

Corn Chowder.
Spanish Omelet.
Lima Beans.
Cabbage and Green Pepper Salad.
Blackberry Hot Pudding.
Cheese.
Coffee.

To make a good corn chowder grate and scrape the corn from enough ears of sweet green corn to make a quart of the pulp. Put the cobs, after the corn is all off, in a kettle with enough water to come up to their level. Cover the kettle closely and let the cobs boil steadily for a half hour; then remove them, and if there is more than a pint of water left in the kettle let it boil until it is reduced to a pint. In another kettle put a tablespoonful of butter, stand the kettle over the fire and when the butter bubbles add a large onion cut in slices and let it fry a nice brown; then add a pint of sliced potatoes, pour in the corn water, cover the kettle and let the potatoes cook 15 minutes; then add the corn pulp, a well-rounded teaspoonful of salt a saltspoonful of white pepper and a pint of milk. Let the whole cook together five minutes, then pour the chowder into a soup tureen in which three hot biscuits have been broken and two tablespspoonfuls of chopped parsley have been put.

Their Specialty.

"The Americans ran away from their foreign competitors in the athletic games at St. Louis."
"So I saw. But if a certain European country had been represented, the result would have been different."
"To what country do you refer?"
"To Russia. Her representatives would run away from anything."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Ordinary cows' milk is especially dangerous in the hot summer months. Disease germs flourish in it. Tuberculous bacilli and germs that breed intestinal diseases are prevalent in milk. The health of babies and children whose sustenance depends on milk is thus gravely endangered.



In the best solution of the milk problem. It is prepared from the choicest dairies in the famous Fox River Valley and the Oxford County district. The highest scientific and sanitary methods are used in the preparation, the milk being reduced to rich cream by evaporation, and perfectly sterilized. Testimonials to its purity have been given by such authorities as Prof. Haines of Rush Medical College, Dr. Howe of the Chicago Foundlings Home, and scores of other noted physicians.

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THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE



First Artist: Why did you make the hand on that statue 11 inches long?
Second Artist: If I had made it 12 inches it would have been a foot.

Election Bets.

W. D. Nesbitt, in Judge.
I used to make election bets, I've won 'em and I've lost;
I've had wheelbarrow rides, an' I have walked across
Th' creek, dressed in my Sunday clothes, escorted by two boats,
Because I missed my guess about th' men who'd get most votes.
This year I think the only one I'll make a wager with
Will be a woman—an' her name is Miss Malviny Smith.

Laws! other years I've had more bets than you could ever count.
I've had 'em run from 15 cents to any old amount.
I've had to wear a straw hat clear to Feb'ry first.
And then go bareheaded until spring—I don't know which was worst.
But now I've quit. The only chance that I will take will be—
I'm bettin' with Malviny Smith, Malviny bets with me.

Malviny says I shouldn't smoke; so that cuts out cigars.
I doesn't bet some bottled goods—she'd kick on that, my stars!
An' money? She advises me that she thinks it is best
To save as much as I can get to feather up our nest.
I guess this year th' only one that I'll be bettin' with
Will be a woman and her name is Miss Malviny Smith.

What is th' bet? It ain't a bet about a suit of clothes.
It ain't to wear a linen suit th' first day that it snows.
It ain't no fool wheelbarrow ride—that gets th' silly bet—
It's just like this: I've made my bet with her out Roosevelt.
An' if I win I marry her; an' if I lose, you see—
That is, if she should chance to win, Malviny marries me!



"That husky-looking fellow over there would sink to any depth for money."
"Prize-fighter?"
No, diver!"



Mrs. E. Z. Marke: Doctor, what ails Tommy?
Doctor Wise: He is suffering from ex-vacationitis.
Mrs. E. Z. Marke: What's that?
Doctor Wise: School opens on Monday.

Try a Smile.

If the world will not be conquered by a frown,
Try a smile;
If your weeping will not raise you when you're down,
Try a smile.

If a stolid countenance
Will not help your cause or advance,
Thaw a bit and take a chance—
Try a smile.

If a scowl don't make your neighborhood respect you,
Try a smile;
If an everlasting grumble don't protect you,
Try a smile.

Dash away that childish tear,
Check that sob, it's bad to hear;
Spread your mouth from ear to ear—
Try a smile.

If you've had to let some stronger fellow beat you,
Try a smile;
Let him know it takes two likings to defeat you—
Try a smile.

Make him clearly understand
You don't bear the coward's brand;
Make him show his strongest hand—
Try a smile.

If they've told you you are going to the doos,
Try a smile;
Don't go cutting any desperation doos,
Try a smile.

When you've been so knocked about
That you're nearly down and out,
And are scheduled for a pout,
Try a smile.

If your very utmost efforts didn't work—
Try a smile;
Though you feel that it must be a sickly smirk,
Try a smile.

Show the world that you can do it;
Send a giggle gurgling through it;
Don't go get a rag and chew it—
Try a smile.

—S. W. Gilliam in Baltimore-American.

CHANGED HER MIND TOO OFTEN

Now the Atlantic Separates Her From Her Husband and Immigration Officials Are Puzzled.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Owen Morris of Dayton, O., speeding to England to get his wife and baby daughter, has passed them in mid-ocean. Morris was on the Baltic, which sailed last week. Unknown to him, his wife and 5-month-old baby were among the steerage passengers on the Arabic bound for New York, where she expected to meet her husband. Morris came to this country several months ago and settled in Dayton, O., and was so well satisfied that he wrote his wife to join him, sending her a ticket for her passage on the Arabic. She wrote him that she did not care to leave her home. Later she changed her mind, and the day before the vessel sailed wrote him that she was on her way.
Meantime Morris decided to go to England and get his wife, and took passage last Friday.
When the Arabic arrived here the mother and child were taken at once to Ellis Island. The immigration officials tried to communicate with Morris at Dayton, only to learn that he had gone to England. When the news was told to the young mother she cried bitterly. She is likely to be sent back to England at once, as the officials are aware of no way to communicate with the husband.

"THE LORD HATES A LIAR"

Fension Commissioner Ware Startles Clerks With New Motto But Does Not Make Application.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—"The Lord hates a liar."
These words, in big and very black letters, now decorate the main reception room of the pension bureau.
Some time between quitting hour Saturday and the time the clerks reported for duty this morning, the legend was painted on the wall under orders from Commissioner Ware.
What motive the commissioner had in putting up the inscription, no one knows. The commissioner declined to discuss the matter.



"Do the women in the Philippines wear rainy-day skirts?"
"It would require a pretty good-sized flood to reach their skirts."



He: I'm an independent voter. I always vote for the best man.
She: How can you tell who is the best man until after the votes are counted?

Cards and Cards.

"A gentleman should always use cards when calling," remarked Dudley, who was a stickler for etiquette.

"They'd better be pretty good ones, too, if it's a light game," replied Jack Potts, who had carelessly lost a week's salary the night before.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.



Mrs. Joak: I've got to prepare an essay for our literary club. What would you write on?
Mr. Joak: Paper.

Fatal Mistake.

Returned Traveler: What has become of Catchem & Cheaten, the rich lawyers? Retired, I presume?
Resident: Yes, retired. They are both in the poorhouse.
"Pshaw! What happened?"
"They had a quarrel, and sued each other."—New York Weekly.

An All-Around Kisser.

Just before a woman got on a train at the union depot yesterday she fondly kissed a dog three or four times. Then she kissed her friends.—Topeka State Journal.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

It's funny that taking your liquor straight should make you feel all the more crooked. A woman has a hard time convincing herself of all the things she convinces her husband.

When a man has to support his grown-up son his mother says he has an artistic temperament.
It's funny how anybody can judge how much better it is for his health to be out in the free air at the races than to be shut up in a stuffy church.—New York Press.

No Need to Marry.

Miss Matilda a woman frankly admits that she is an old maid and means to remain an old maid to the end of the chapter.

A friend recently asked her why she did not marry.
"Why should I?" Miss Matilda answered. "I have a dog that growls and a parrot that swears and a cat that stays out night."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

THE WOES OF THE IDLE GIRLS

BY NIXOLA GREELY-SMITH, GRANDDAUGHTER OF HORACE GREELY.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

One hears expressed very often by some girl behind a counter or a cash register or a typewriter a certain query of other young women whom she sees behind well-matched horses or impressive autos further uptown.

It does not occur to her that these same young women may occasionally covet the larger independence which she possesses, and that for a time at least they would perhaps be willing to exchange their leisure for her busy pre-occupation.

Some of the most genuinely unhappy girls I have known have been daughters of rich parents who, after the enthusiasm of their first season has waned, sought vainly for some absorbing interest with which to fill their vacant lives. Any number of them have had formless aspirations toward the stage or literature, but there are many more, who, unable thus to concentrate their longed-for entertainments, the vague ambition to be "doing something"—they don't know what.

There are few women of leisure, mothers, wives or daughters as the case may be, who possess the financial independence of their own minds. Even with the most generous male relatives they cannot spend money with the careless recklessness of the woman whose income, however small, is the product of her own brain or hand. The little telephone girl who starts shopping with the idea of buying a \$5 hat and returns to her boarding-house with a \$15 creation and a determination to go without.

CLEVER LITTLE STORIES

Mrs. Ella Russell, the prima donna, and her husband, the Comte de Rightin, are the parents of a little boy 3 years old. He was born at sea on board the St. Louis and is named Camille Alexander Luis Cesare Russell, his third name being given him after the ship and his fifth after his distinguished mother. Among the musical and literary celebrities present at his christening was T. P. O'Connor, and after the ceremony the question of the child's nationality was raised. His father is Italian, his mother American of partly English ancestry, he was born at sea in a German vessel and landed at Cherbourg, in France. Mr. O'Connor settled the question at once. "He is an Irishman, of course," he said.

While traveling in a third-class carriage one of the big English lines the late Father John Healy found himself opposite a bitter-looking individual, who took the opportunity to declare himself an atheist. The cleric merely nodded his head and began absorbed in his book. But the unbeliever was bent on having an argument, and began to set forth his views in a loud voice and with many expressions bordering upon coarseness. At last Father Healy looked up quietly and said: "You, sir, as an atheist believe in nothing." "I only believe in what I can understand," replied the other. "It comes to the same thing," was the bland retort. And the speaker remained silent for the rest of the journey.

A more or less truthful Australian relates that he put an unusually large porcelain egg in the nest of a hen and found that the next eggs she laid were of increased size. Then he put a goose egg in the nest. The hen laid an egg just as large. He was so pleased with the scheme that he put a whitewashed football in the nest. When he went the next time to search for eggs he found one as big as a football, but no hen in sight. Securing the egg, he saw engraved on it, by hen photography, these words: "I'm no ostrich, but I've done my best." Later he found the hen inside the egg.

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